



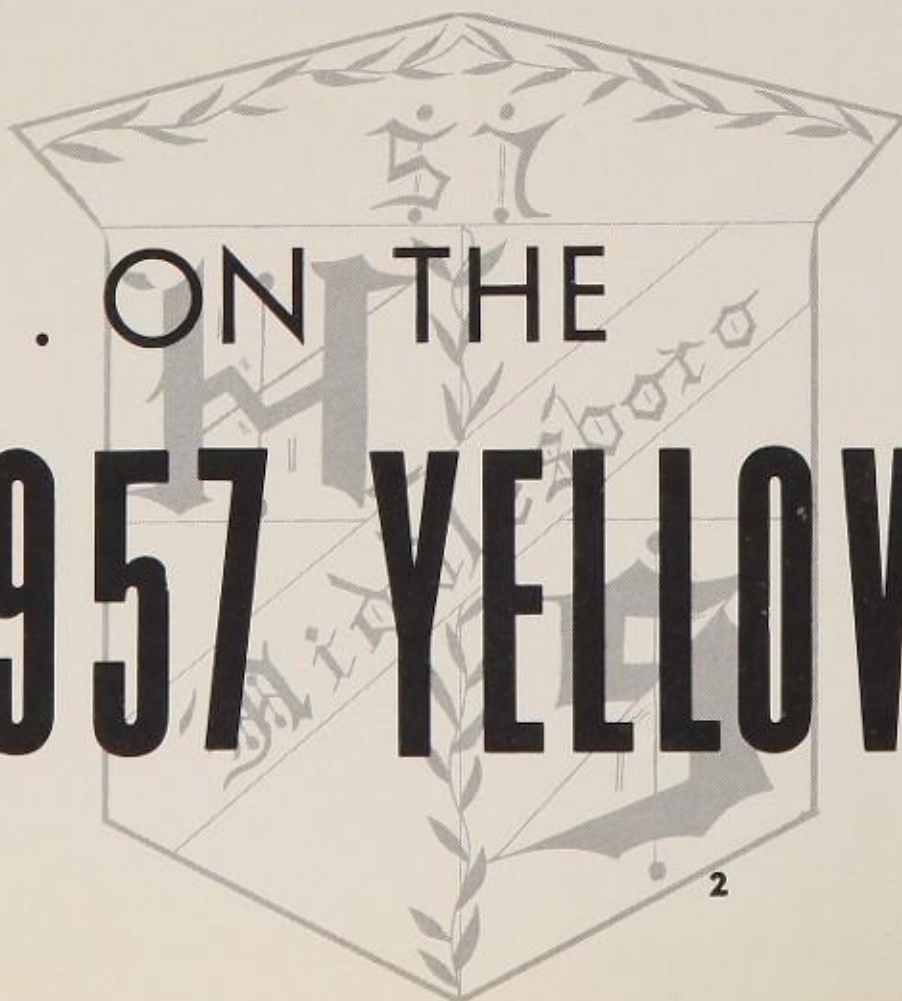
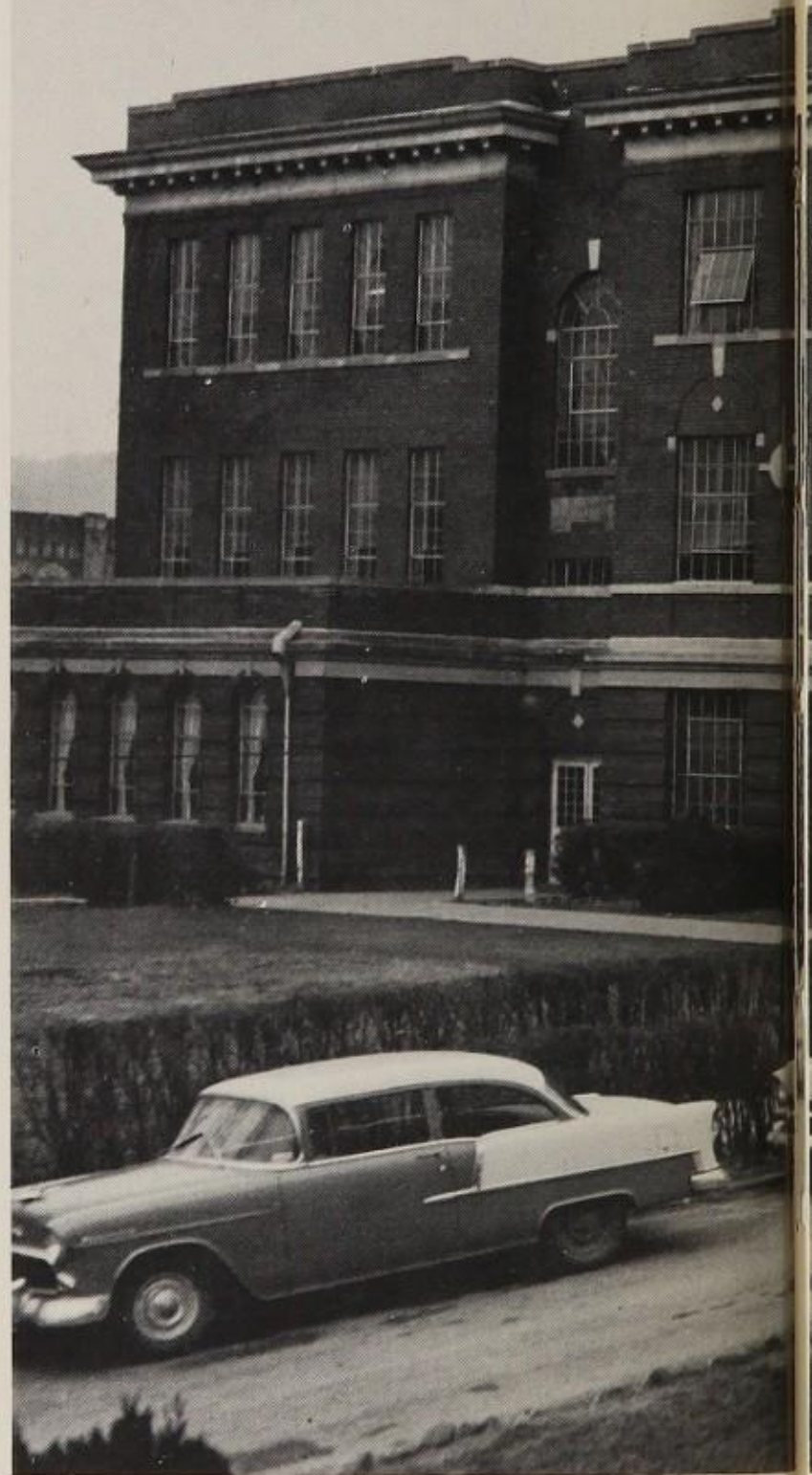
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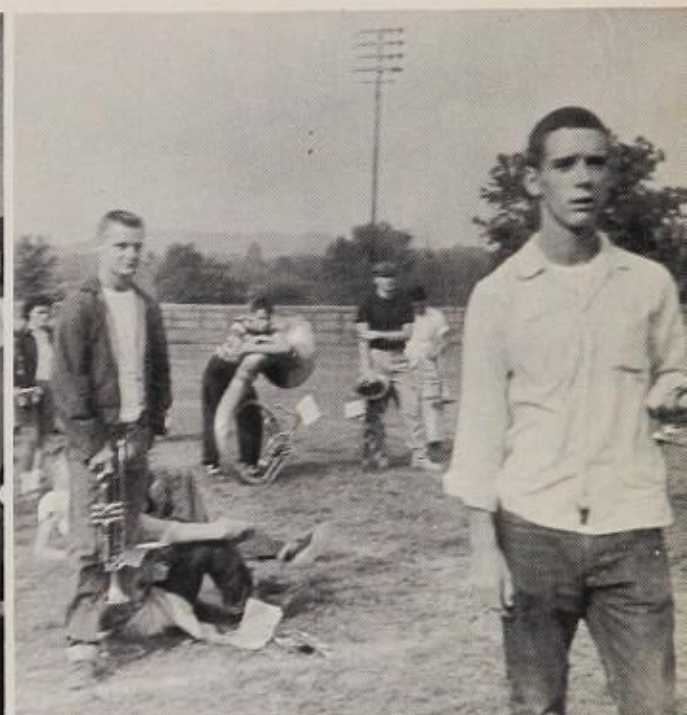
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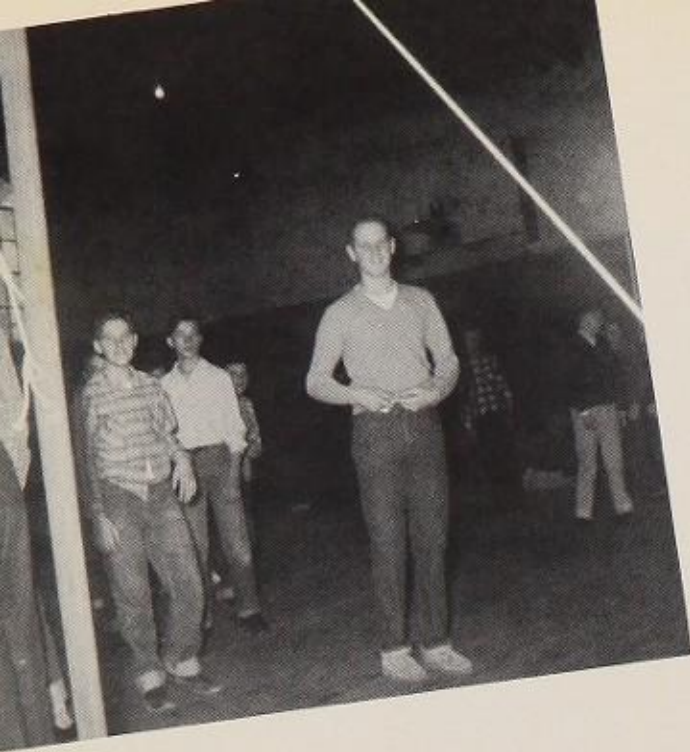
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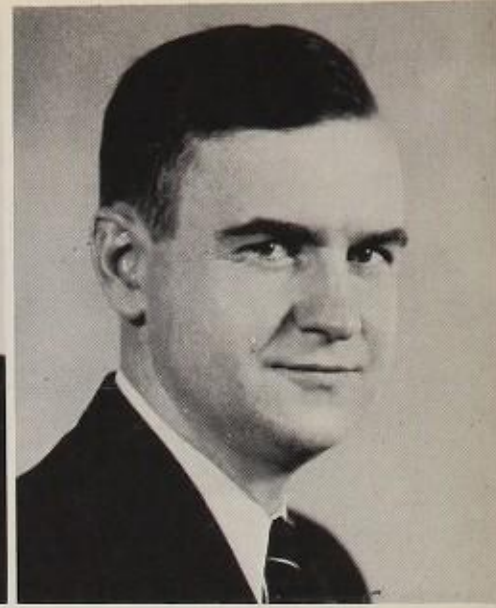


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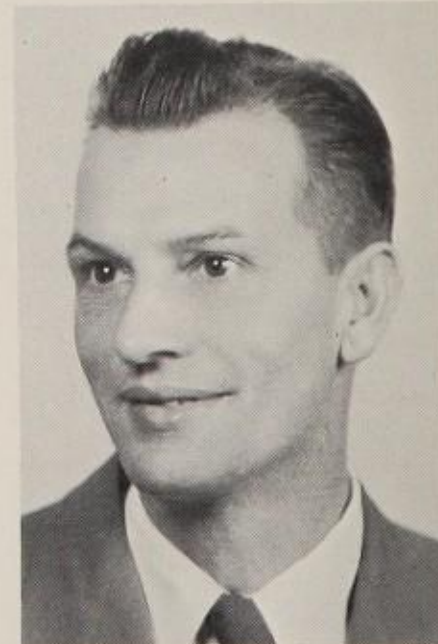
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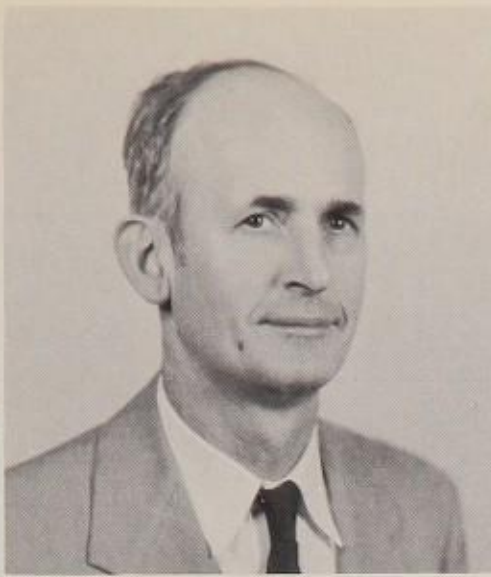
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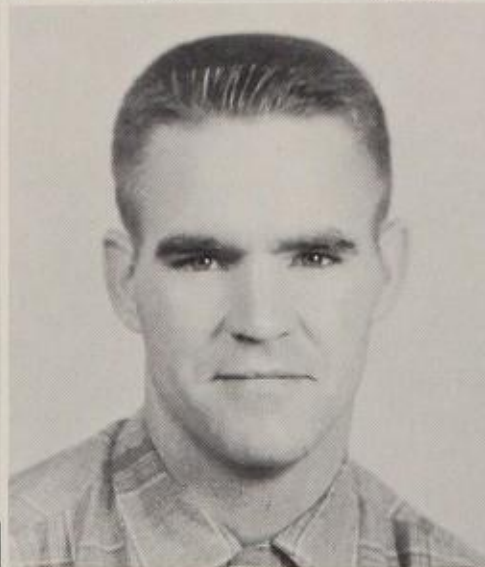
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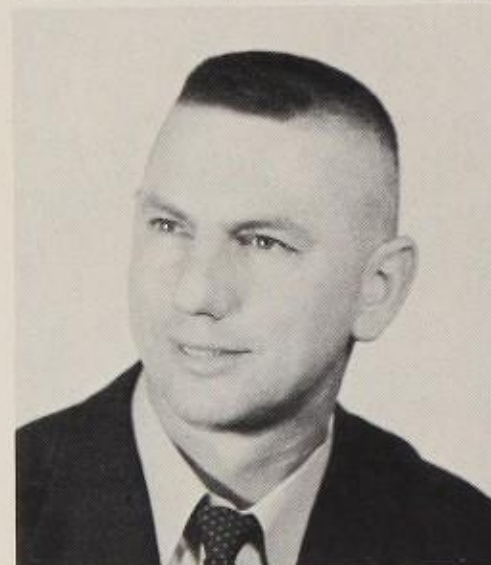
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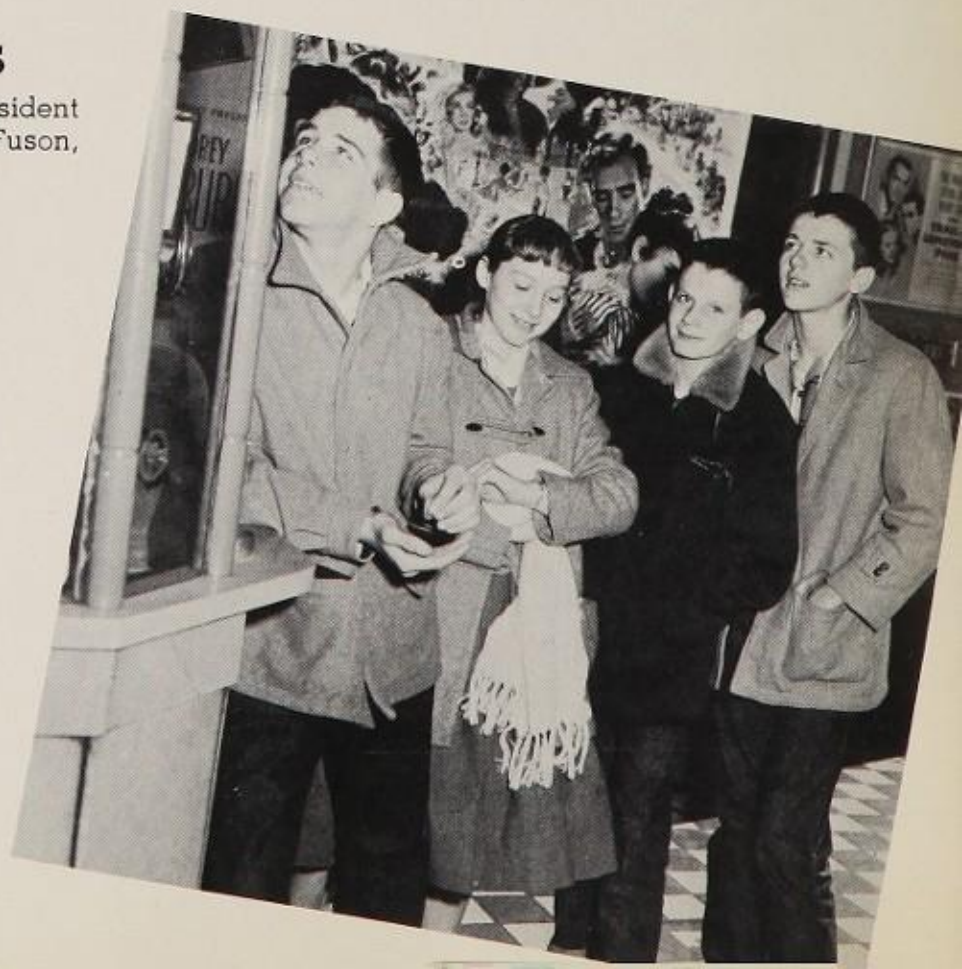
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"Loving kindness is greater than law."

Choir & Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, Thespian, Girls State.



Doris Dalton "Dorsey"

"Remember now, thy creator in the days of thy youth."

Sophomore President, Sec. Senior Class, Nat. Honor Society 3, 4, Debate 2, 3, 4.



Phyllis Ann Abbott "Philpot"

"Do unto others as you would have them to do unto you."

Tri-Hi-Y, Library Club, Girls Glee Club.



Dorsey Wayne Ayers "Daddy"

"Caesar is dead; Napoleon is dead; all great men are dying; in fact I don't feel so well myself."

Basketball 3, 4, Senior Play, Executive Committee 4, Military Education 4.



Gail Jean Barnes "Jeanie"

"Anything worth having is worth going after."

Homemaking 4, Journalism 3.



Bobby Barton "Smiley"

"You'd better believe it."

Basketball, Military Education, Typing.



SENIORS

Paul Edgar Braden "Feet"

"What do you mean you're not allowed?"

Senior Vice President, Football & Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Nat. Honor Society 3, 4.



Terry Lee Gooding "Terrence"

"By golly I do!"

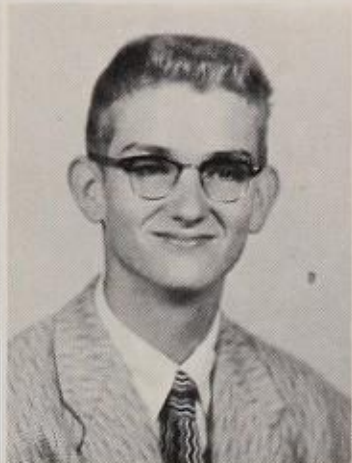
Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Track 3, 4, Beta Club 3, 4, Thespian 3, 4.



Ralph Judson Alford "Judd"

"It's not whether you win or lose but how you play the game."

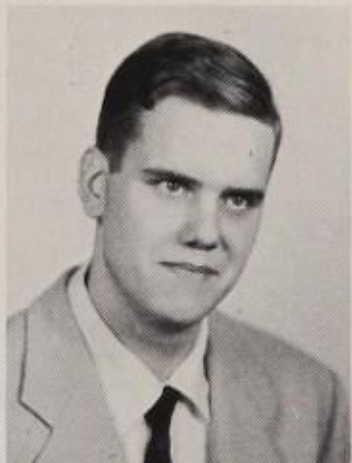
Senior Play, Basketball 1, 2, Golf 1, 2, 3, 4.



George Washington Ball

"Do it yourself and know how it's done."

Library Club.



Wanda Lue Barnett "Shorty"

"Anything worth wanting is worth waiting for."

Homemaking 1, 2, 3, 4, Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2.



George Beasley "Buzz"

"Never underestimate the power of your enemy."

Physical Ed., Hi-Y, Manual Arts, Football, Military Education.



SENIORS

Elizabeth Jean Bingham "Mickii"

"Life is what you make it."
Dramatics 1, Art 1, 2, Typing 1, 2,
Library Club.



James Blevins "Jimmy"

"Save it."
H-Y 4, Physical Education, Military
Ed. 2, 3, 4, Manual Arts 2, 3.



Etta Lou Branscom

"For of all sad words of tongue or
pen, the saddest are these: it might
have been!"
Beta Club 3, 4, Choir 2, 3, Annual
Staff, Y-Teens 1, 3.



Fred Buckner "Shot"

"By Golly!"
Basketball, Hi-Y, Military Education.



Mary Kathern Burnside "Kate"

"A man who boasts of an open
mind often mistakes a vacancy for
an opening."
Band 1, 2, 3, Choir 2, 3, 4, Annual
Staff, Junior & Senior Play.



David Boyd Campbell "Zeke"

"Punk! You checking me—MAYBE."
Military Education 1, 2, 3, Hi-Y 1,
2, 3, 4, Manual Arts 1, 2.



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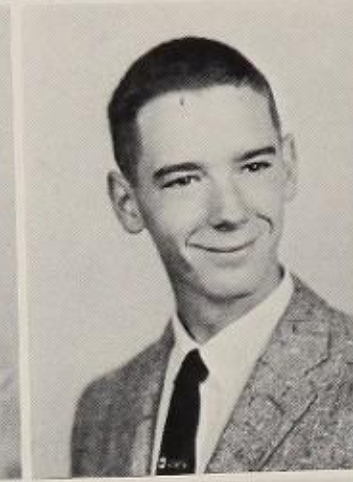
Delores Blackburn "Dorsey"

"Ah shucks!"
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Tri-Hi-Y 4.



Thomas N. Board "Tommy"

"Well then there now, what do we
have here?"
Band 1, 2, 3, Drum Major 4, Military
Education 2, 3, 4, Track 4.



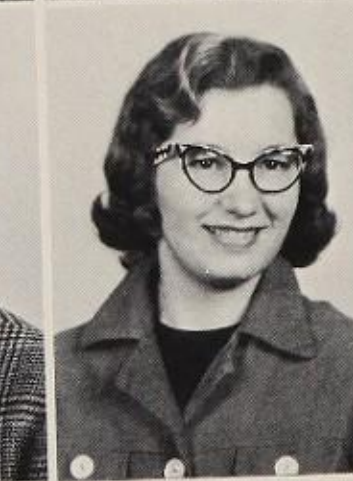
Clyde Wayne Brooks "George"

"Truth is the easiest to remember."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Hi-Y 2, 3, Annual
Staff, Journalism.



Betsy Rachel Burnette

"Don't be so sure!"
Library Club 2, 3, Dramatics 1, 2,
Typing 4, Office Work 3, 4.



Eunice Elizabeth Bussell

"I just love work, I could sit and
look at it all day."
Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Homemaking 4.



Nita Maureen Carr "Little Car"

"Smile and a smile in return will be
yours."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Dramatics 2, 3, 4,
Junior & Senior Play.



SENIORS

Carl Kendrick Carter "Carl"

"If you would like to know the value of money, try to borrow some."

Hi-Y, Military Education, Manual Arts.



Paul Connor Cawood "Munsey"

"Better to be safe than sorry."

Football 1, 2, 3, Military Ed. 2, 3, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Physical Ed. 1, Manual Arts 4.



Bobby Childers "Porky Chillbumps"

"Always in haste, never in a hurry."

Military Education 2, 3, 4, Manual Arts, Library Club 1, 2, 3.



Peggy June Coatney

"Why be difficult; with a little more effort you can be impossible."

Glee Club, Science Club, Homemaking.



Eddie Collingsworth

"Nothing is so difficult that it can not be found by seeking."

Military Education, Band.



Mary Ruth Cowan "Ruthie"

"The truth is always the strongest argument."

Choir 1, 2, 3, Girls Glee Club 2, 4, Y-Teens 1, Science Club 3, 4.



SENIORS

Carolyn Sue Cawood "Suzie"

"I'll slap you happy and dare you to shout."

Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Girls Glee Club 1, 2, 3, Annual Staff, Choir.



Velma Colleen Chadwell

"Do unto others as they do unto you."

Y-Teens 1, 3, Journalism 2, Homemaking 3, Science Club 4.



William James Clark "Blubber Butt"

"He who hesitates is lost."

Football, Basketball.



Norma Jean Cochran "Little Bit"

"Do unto others before they do unto you."

Glee Club, Tri-Hi-Y.



Anna Ruth Cosby "Ava"

"Wow! That senior at U. T."

Tri-Hi-Yi 1, 3, Homemaking 1, 2, 4-H Club 3, Journalism 1, Typing 1.



Fredwyn Phyllis Creech

"The critic who dares not attack what is bad is only a half-hearted supporter of what is good."

Band & Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4, Speech, Debating 2, 3, 4.



SENIORS

Donald Denny "Sid"

"If you don't like it, hang it up."
Basketball 2, 3, 4, Hi-Y 3, 4.



Suzanne Elliott "Little Bit"

"Always look toward the sun and the shadows will fall behind you."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Senior Play, Speech, Annual Staff.



Patricia Ruth Ely "Pat"

"Your dearest friends seldom cost you anything."
Thespians, Choir, Junior & Senior Play, Annual Staff.



Charles H. England "Crip"

"Here comes Sadie!"
Football 2, 3, 4, Military Education 2, 4, Manual Arts 1, 2, Typing 3, Hi-Y 2, 3, 4, Physical Education 1.



Florence Evans "Hootie"

"Good humor is one of the best articles of dress one can wear in society."
Dramatics 1, Journalism 1, 2, 3, Library Club Secretary 1, 2, 3, 4.



Eugene Franks

"Work conquers many things."
Library Club, Science Club.



SENIORS

Jennie Lynn Dougherty "Jennie"

"To know is nothing at all; to imagine is everything."
Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, Typing 2, 4, Art 1, 2.



William Mitchell Ellison "Bill"

"Bad luck always comes at the wrong time."
Hi-Y 1, 2, Military Education 1, 2, 3, Manual Arts 2, 3, 4.



Bobby Ann Emmett "Bunny"

"I love work, I can just sit and look at it all day."
Journalism 4, Tri-Hi-Y 2, 4, Dramatics 1, 2.



Marilyn Alice Estes "Mickie"

"He who laughs, lasts."
Journalism 1, 2, 3, Junior & Senior Play, Choir 4, Annual Staff.



Jerry Randall Farmer "Noats"

"Opportunity knocks but once, temptation will knock the door down."
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Manual Arts 1, 2, 3, Physical Education 1.



Alma Doris Frazier "Mickie"

"The best things come in small packages."
Home Economics 1, 2, 4-H Club 1, 2, Y-Teens 1.



SENIORS

Patricia Catherine Goodin "Patsy"

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

Band 1, 2, 3, Choir 3, 4, Annual Staff, Senior Play.



Willis Hampton, Jr. "Daddy"

"All that is worth having is worth waiting for."

Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Thespians 3, 4, Junior & Senior Play.



Joann Harris "Jo"

"As good to give as to receive."

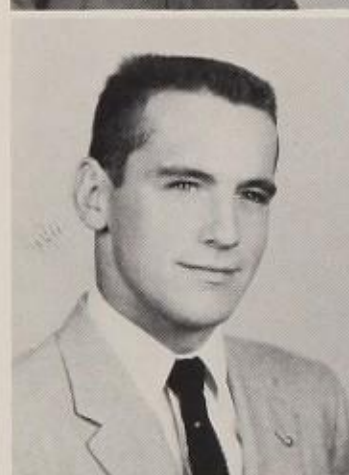
Debate Club, Science Club, Girls Glee Club.



David Kent Hatfield "Dave"

"Always keep your eyes on the copy."

Football 3, 4, Basketball 3, 4, Hi-Y 3, Baseball 3, Annual Staff.



Beverly Hinel "Bev"

"Remember your tongue is in a wet place and likely to slip."

Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Dramatics 1, 2, Typing.



Joan Yvonne Huff "Jonie"

"All that is fair fadeth and passeth."

Dramatics 1, Science Club 3, 4, Senior Play, Y-Teens 4.



SENIORS

Carol Elaine Haley

"It's a great life if you don't weaken."

Dramatics 1, 3, 4, Glee Club 2, 3, Annual Staff, Journalism 1.



Barbara Harrell "Barbie"

"It is better to keep your mouth shut and be thought a fool than to open it and remove all doubt."

Homemaking 1, 2, 3, 4.



Goldie Lou Harville "Goldie Belle"

"To be trusted is a greater compliment than to be loved."

Dramatics 4, Senior Play.



Ruth Ann Hatfield "Ruthie"

"Strive on for the best is to come."

Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, Homemaking 1.



Barbara Jean Hodge "Bartie"

"Judge not according to appearance."

Band 2, 3, 4, Choir 1, 3, 4, Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, Thespian 3, 4.



Sheralyn Gayle Jackson

"Now abideth faith, hope and charity; but the greatest of these is charity."

Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, Thespian 3, 4, Nat. Honor Society 3, 4.



SENIORS

Bobbie Lois Johnson "Bobby"

"They'll never learn."
Homemaking 1, Library Club 3, Typing 4.



Joan Keck "Jo"

"Why be difficult; with a little more effort you can be impossible."
Girl Glee Club, Y-Teens, 4-H Club 2, 3, 4.



Miskel Killion "Mickey"

"It's better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all."



Gladys Charlene Longworth "Glad"

"All the world's a stage, and we're all part of the play."
Library Club, Typing Club, Tri-Hi-Y, Physical Education, Science Club.



Gladys Nadine Lovell "Deanie"

"Smile and the whole world will smile with you."
Library Club, Y-Teens, Homemaking Club, Tri-Hi-Y.



Patricia Anne Mason "Pat"

"Better a witty fool, than a foolish wit."
Beginning & Advanced Dramatics, 4-H, Y-Teens, Library Club, Senior Play.



SENIORS

Robert Johnston "Bob"

"Are you kidding or just joking?"
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4, Military Education 2, 3, 4, Manual Arts 1, Physical Education 1.



Charles Kelly

"Too many women are not enough."
Football.



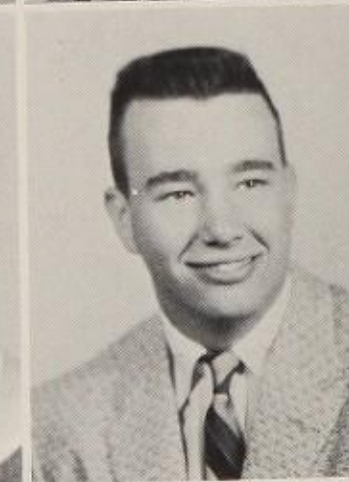
Mary Magdalene Lee "Mag"

"Everything worthwhile has a wall around it, but always there is a gate and a key."
4-H Club, Homemaking, Tri-Hi-Y.



Fred F. Lovelace III "Fick"

"Caesar is dead; Lincoln is dead; all great men are dying; and for a fact I don't feel so well myself."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Military Education 2, 3, 4, Chemistry Lab 4.



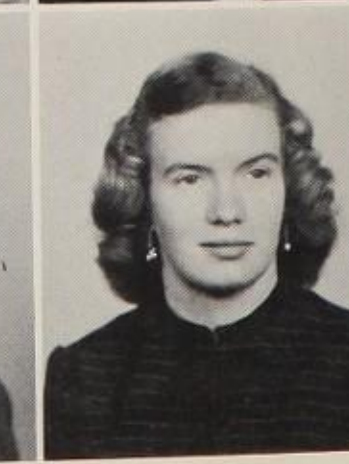
Charlene Lybrand "Red"

"The biggest problem in the world could have been solved when it was small."
Y-Teens 3, Glee Club, Journalism, Typing, Science Club.



Sylvia Vandetta Mason "Bandana"

"Two heads are better than one."
Library Club 3, Y-Teens 1.



SENIORS

Elmer Sewell Martin "Blackie"

"You'll never learn."

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Manual Arts 1, 2, 3, 4.

Betty Ruth Mayes "Bet"

"A woman is as old as she looks to a man who likes to look at her."
Homemaking, Tri-Hi-Y.

Bobbie Lynn Meyers "Bob"

"Never do today what you can put off until tomorrow."
4-H Club, Tri-Hi-Y, Typing, Homemaking.

Mary LaVada Monday "Lou"

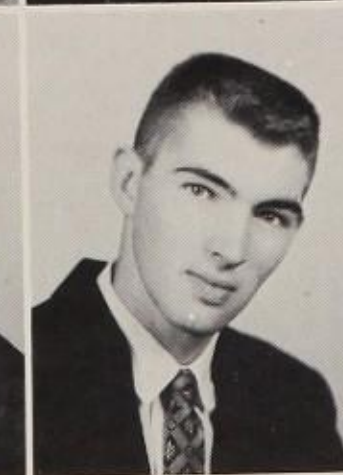
"Today is the day that I worried about yesterday."
Y-Teens, Girls Glee Club, Homemaking.

Rosalynn Ann O'Dell "Rosie"

"What people say you cannot do, you try and find you can."
Junior & Senior Play, Annual Staff, Thespians, Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4.

Mary Frances Philpot

"If it is the truth, what does it matter who said it?"
Glee Club, Tri-Hi-Y, Homemaking.



SENIORS

Hershel Edward Massingill
"Peanut"

"You don't say."

Hi-Y, Military Education, Physical Education.

Larry Roger McKinney "Mac"

"A liar should have a good memory."
Basketball & Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Glee Club 2, Baseball 4, Track 4, Hi-Y.

Jo Ann Miller "Jo"

"Do unto others before they have a chance to do unto you."
Homemaking 1, Y-Teens 2, Science Club 2.

Shelby Jean Nunn "Sheenie"

"The happiest people are those who are too busy to stop and wonder if they are not."
Debate, Art, Glee Club, Science Club.

James Roy O'Neal "Doc"

"This town is so dead it won't even rain in it."
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Hi-Y 2, 3, 4, Track 4.

Cecil Powers "Sot"

"Don't check me."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Military Education 1, 2, Hi-Y 1, 2, Track 1, 2, 3, 4.

SENIORS

Charles Henry Price "C. P."

"Really, you don't mean to tell me."
Military Education, Manual Arts, Hi-Y, Physical Education.



SENIORS

Thomasine Raines "Pump"

"Don't hand me that."
Science Club 3, 4, Art Club 2, Dramatics 1.

Alice Fay Rains "Alcie"

"A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches."
Homemaking, 4-H Club, Tri-Hi-Y.



Kenneth Rains

"Now for good luck cast an old shoe after me."
Manual Arts, Military Education 2, 3, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4.

Bertha Mae Reams "Bert"

"You'll never walk alone."
Choir & Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, Nat. Honor Society 3, 4, Thespians 3, 4, Junior & Senior Play, Nat. Forensic League.



Susan Elaine Reisinger "Suze"

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."
Thespians 3, 4, Dramatics 3, 4, Choir 3, Junior & Senior Play, Annual Staff.

Mary Helen Roberts "Pete"

"Why can't life's problems hit us when we're 17 and know everything?"
Homemaking 1, 2, 3, 4, Y-Teens 1, Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4.



Leona Fern Rowlett "Cuz"

"It matters not how long you live, but how well."
4-H Club, Science Club, Tri-Hi-Y, Typing.

William Routh "Bill"

"Don't believe anything you hear and only half of what you see."
Military Education.



Joyce Faustine Scott "Flossy"

"To know how to wait is the great secret of success."
Science Club 3, 4, Tri-Hi-Y 4, Journalism.

James Robert Shoemaker "Pete"

"Why buy a cow, when you can get your milk free?"
Co. Middlesboro Color Guard 1, 2, 3, Military Ed. 2, 3, 4, Senior Play, Hi-Y.



Norma Gail Siler "Abigail"

"There are other things besides money. There's poverty, misery, hunger . . ."
Annual Staff 4, Choir 3, 4, Girls Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

SENIORS

Carma Lou Slover "Lolly"

"If all our misfortunes were laid in one common pile, I am sure we would all be content to take our share and depart."

Junior & Senior Play, Thespian Society, Nat. Forensic League, Dramatics 3, 4.



SENIORS

James Smith "Jimmy"

"Do it yourself and know it's done right."
Band.

Lynn Blair Smith

"A friend is one who knows all about you and loves you just the same."

Junior & Senior Play, Speech 3, 4, Choir 3, 4, Dramatics 1, 2, 4, Thespians, Annual Staff.



Margaret Smith "Marty"

"Work fascinates me, in fact, I can sit and stare at it all day."
Science Club 4.

Marsha Ruth Smith "Little Bit"

"Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."

Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Tri-Hi-Y 1, 4, Typing 1.

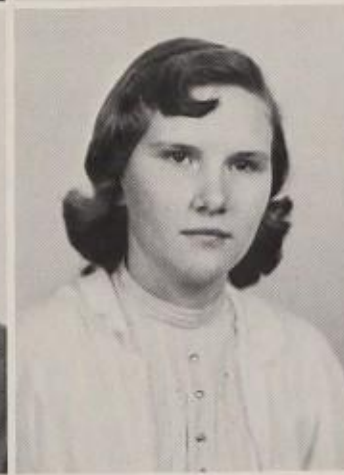


Mary Sue Smith "Susie Q"

"Live as long as you want and want as long as you live."
Glee Club 3, 4, Homemaking 3.

Lila Evelyn Snavelly "Lilac"

"Dreams one day; reality the next."
Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Junior & Senior Play, Annual Staff, Thespian Society.



Betty Sowder

"The best things of life are free."
Science Club 4, Tri-Hi-Y 2, Homemaking Club 1, 2, 3.

Timothy Sowders "Timmy"

"We got 'em!"
Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 3, 4.



James Richard Spangler "Dickie"

"Big things are built on small things well done."
Baseball 3, 4, Choir 2, 3, 4, Hi-Y 3, Military Education 2, 3, 4.

Ruby Nadine Sparks "Dean"

"It is better to keep quiet and be thought a fool than to open your mouth and remove all doubt."
Library Club 1, 2, 4-H Club 2, Tri-Hi-Y 4, Dramatics 3.



Nona Lou Stanley "Lu Lu"

"The most completely lost of all days is that on which one has not laughed."
Girls Glee Club 1, 2, Journalism 2, 3, 4, Typing 3, Advanced Y-Teens 4.

SENIORS

James Thomas Stapleton "Chalk"

"Why laddie cut that old stuff out."
Football & Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4,
Track 3, 4, Baseball 3, 4.

Thelma E. Sutton

"A good reputation is more valuable than money."
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Y-Teens 2,
Homemaking 1, Tri-Hi-Y 4.

Nancy Ruth Taylor "Sharky"

"The best things in life are free."
Y-Teens 4, Journalism 3, 4, Cheerleader 4.

Barbara Jean Thomas "Bartie"

"It's better to have loved and lost, than to have never loved at all."
Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 4, Glee Club 4.

Alice Faye Treece "La"

"Can't tell by looking."
Science Club 3, 4, Dramatics 1, Art Club 2; Journalism 1.

Carol Joyce Ward "Joy"

"Look up and not down; look forward and not back; look out and not in, and lend a hand."
Science Club 4, Dramatics 3.



SENIORS

Joe Stras, Jr. "Joe"

"Aw, Nuts!"
Senior Play, Thespian Society,
Chemistry Lab.

Ben Wilbur Taylor
"Running Board"

"Today is the tomorrow we worried about yesterday."
Military Education, Physical Education, Dramatics, Tri-Hi-Y.

Wanda Fay Thacker "Thak"

"Give the world the best you have and the best will come back to you."
Dramatics 3, 4, Annual Staff, Senior Play, Senior Executive Committee, Glee Club 2.

Anna Geraldine Thompson
"Gerry"

"The wrong way always seems more reasonable."
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Homemaking Treasurer, 4-H Club.

William Harry Wagner "Harry"

"The biggest questions in a persons life all have one thing in common, they can't be answered."
Choir & Dramatics 2, 3, 4, Thespians 3, 4, Junior & Senior Play.

Frank White "Birdog"

"Do something quick, even if it's wrong."
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 3, 4, Military Education 2, 3, 4.

SENIORS

Phyllis Widener "Phil"

"I like work, I can sit and look at it for hours."

4-H Club 1, 3, Homemaking 1, 2, Typing 4, Tri-Hi-Y 2, 4.



SENIORS

Frances Wilford "Fran"

"The door to success is labeled—PUSH!"

4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Dramatics 3, Senior Play, Annual Staff.

Carolyn Jean Wiley

"Warolyn Ciley"

"The only safe and sure way to destroy enemies is to make friends of them."

Thespians, Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Junior & Senior Play, Annual Staff.



Alice Fay Williams "Pony"

"You can make life a bed of roses if you put in a lifetime of spade-work."

Dramatics 1, 2, Journalism 4, Tri-Hi-Y 2, 4.

Elizabeth Ann Williams "Liz"

"Live while you are alive because you are dead a long, long time."

Dramatics 1, Science Club 3, 4, Annual Staff, Junior & Senior Play.



Charles Douglas Wilmoth

"Charlie"

"Don't do it unless you have to."

Physical Education, Manual Arts, Typing, Hi-Y.

Vennie Dean Yates "Deano"

"The want of a woman is an unknown quality."

4-H Club, Science Club, Tri-Hi-Y.



Harvey Yeary "Spot Drum Majors"

"What about that?"

Football & Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Track 3, 4, Baseball 3, 4, Key Club.

Martha Ann Yeary "Marty"

"Anything worth wanting is worth waiting for."

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Homemaking 1, 2.



Orville Yeary "Legs"

"To be conscious that you are ignorant is a great step to knowledge."

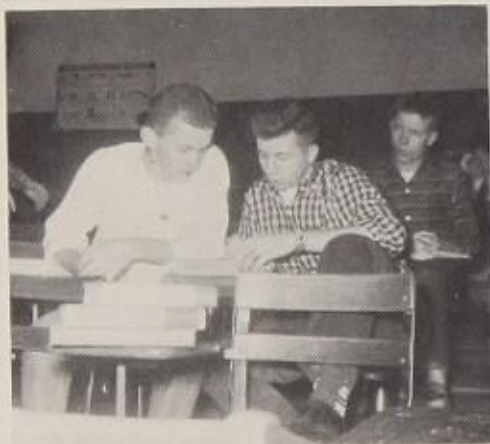
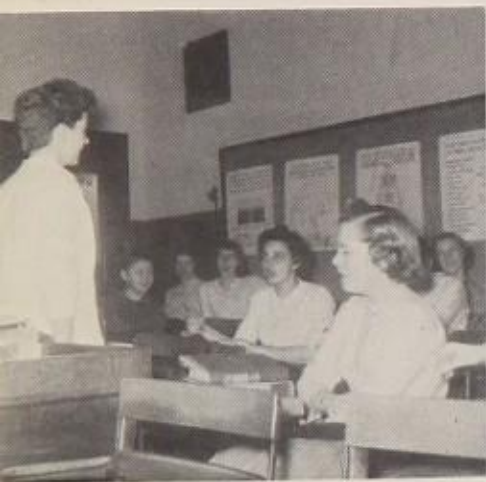
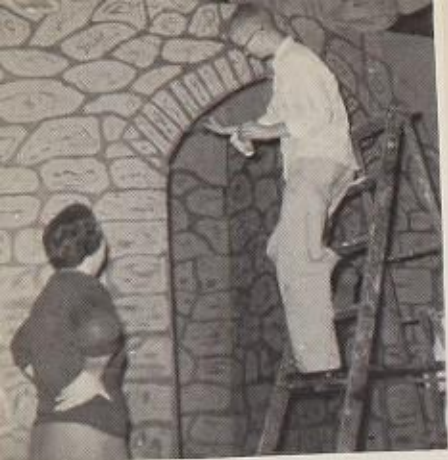
Manual Arts, Military Education.

William Arthur Yeary "Bill"

"I will drink life to the lees."

Military Education 3, 4, Senior Play, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Manual Arts 1.







ACT II SCENE I

ACTIVITIES



Jim Barrett, Becky Campbell, Nita Carr, Carol Haley, Lila Snavely, Jennie Lynn Dougherty, Pat Ely, Geraldine Evans, Jayme Ginsburg, Ruth Hatfield, Bartie Hodge, Norma Honeycutt, SHERALYN JACKSON, Joyce Jordan, Helen Faye Kalfas, Esther King, Judy Martini, Pat Mason, Doyle Milligan, Toni Moore, Ronnie Moyers, Rosie O'Dell, Bertha Mae Reams, Suze Reisinger, Carma Lou Slover, Lynne Smith, Sally Clark Smith, Wanda Thacker, Edna Turner, Harry Wagner, Cecilia Wakin, Merlene Whited, Carolyn Wiley, Phyllis Williams, Barbara Wolfenbarger, Mickie Bingham, Goldie

Harville, Pat Goodin, Frances Wiliford, Mary Anderson, Janet Arnett, Bonnie Blake, Ronnie Brown, Thelma Burchfield, Sally Carr, Juanita Dean, Mitchell Douglas, Ann Hamlett, Janet Hash, Kay Henry, Nancy Holt, Janet Sue Hyde, Janice Johnston, Billie Laymon, Larry Lyon, Neville Mays, Nini McDaniels, Barbara Mink, Patty Miracle, Georgia Nunn, Patti Patterson, Linda Lou Ralston, Isabelle Rowlett, Sylvia Seals, Brenda Smith, Carolyn Smith, Kirby Smith, Barbara Taylor, Myrna Tennyson, Polly Tucker, Wanda Welch, David Williams, Glenna Willis, Gail Wright.

DRAMATIC CLUBS

Students of beginning dramatics study the history of drama, stagecraft, make-up, and acting. Students of advanced dramatics continue the work of beginning dramatics and occasionally present plays or reviews

as assembly programs. Thus the students, while broadening their knowledge of an important, and often neglected, branch of literature, are simultaneously acquiring mental and physical poise.

ADVANCED

President, Bartie Hodge; Vice President, Bertha Mae Reams, Secretary, Bebe Turner; Treasurer, Ronnie Moyers.

BEGINNING

President, Kay Henry; Vice President, Kirby Smith; Secretary, Billie Jo Laymon.





THE NATIONAL THESPIAN SOCIETY

President Lynne Smith
 Vice President, Suze Resinger
 Secretary Bebe Turner
 Treasurer Fredwyn Creech

Thespian Troupe 972, Sponsor: Juanita Markham.

The National Thespian Society is an honor organization which gives recognition to students doing meritorious work in dramatics. Eligibility for membership is obtained by participating in acting or stagecraft. Students must have participated in the equivalent of a hundred hours of dramatic work. After earning their credits for membership, the members can earn credit for honor standings.

MEMBERS: Carolyn Wiley, Lynne Smith, Elizabeth Williams, Bartie Hodge, Lila Snively, Carol Haley, David Hatfield, Suze Resinger, Bebe Turner, Nita Carr, Pat Ely, Rosie O'Dell, Fredwyn Creech, Carma Lou Slover,

Willis Hampton, Terry Gooding, Arthur Yeary, Jud Alford, Bertha Mae Reams, Dorsey Ayers, Beverly Hinel, Jennie Lynne Daugherty, Sheralyn Jackson, Harry Wagner.





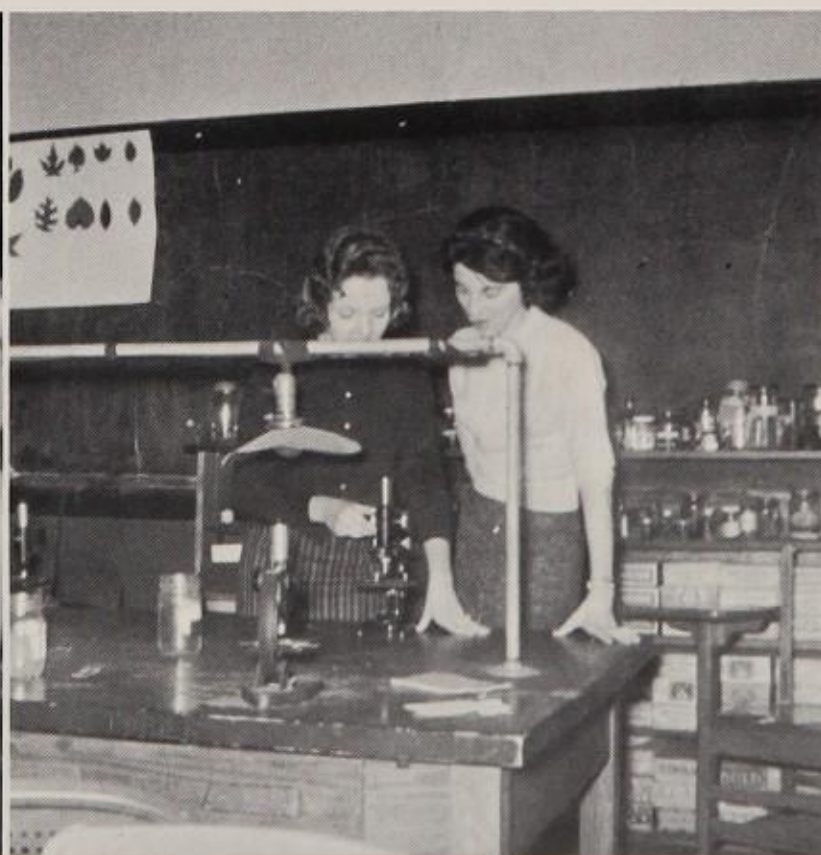
Etta Lou Branscom, Leona Rowlett, Faye Treece, Thomasine Rains, Regina Moyers, Eugene Franks, Helen Allen, Vivian Evans, Jo Ann Miller, Glenda Frye, Shelby Jean Nunn, Carol Ward, Faustine Scott, Colleen

Chadwell, Peggy Coatney, Betty Sowders, Joyce Earls, Mary Ruth Cowan, Patsy Goodin, Marty Smith, Joan Huff, Elizabeth Williams, Jo Ann Harris, Gladys Longworth, Vennie Yates.

SCIENCE CLUB

Science Club
 President Faye Treece
 Vice President Thomasine Rains
 Secy. and Treas. Vennie Dean Yates
 The Science Club was newly organized
 in 1955 under the supervision of Miss Vada

Chumley. Its members are of upper classmen only. It is affiliated with the Science Club of America as the "Kurious Kids." Each member chooses projects dealing with various phases of science.





Sopranos: Barbara Blondell, Jerlene Brashear, Pat Ely, Geraldine Evans, Pat Goodin, Janet Hyde, Sheralyn Jackson, Helen Faye Kalfas, Billie Jo Laymon, Emma Lybrand, Toni Moore, Georgia Nunn, Bertha Mae Reams, Lynne Smith, Lila Snavelly, Carolyn Wiley, Gail Wright, Patsy Yoakum. **Altos:** Mary K. Burnside, Carolyn Cawood, Juanita Dean, Mickie Estes, Kay Henry, Bartie Hodge, Gloria Krebs, Jean Mason, Marjorie Meyers, Patty Patterson, Linda Ralston, Jean Roark, Isabel

Rowlette, Gail Siler, Bebe Turner. **Tenors:** Judd Alford, Billy Barton, Johnny Blondell, Tommy Colgan, Mitchell Douglass, Geoff Mitchell, Ronnie Moyers, Penn Nicholson, Kenneth Robbins, Petey Southgate, Harry Wagner. **Basses:** George Ball, Buddy Callison, Jimmy Goforth, Jim Hurst, Lawrence Jackson, Larry Lyons, Kirby Smith, Richard Spangler, Bob Yeary, Wesley Yeary. Director —Mrs. Janet Matthews.

CHOIR

The purpose of the choir is to entertain various organizations and to help the different charities. It is also the purpose to better the music in Middlesboro High School.

The officers of the choir are:

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| President | Bartie Hodge |
| Vice President | Lynne Smith |
| Treasurer | Tommy Colgan |
| Reporter | Mickie Estes |
| Librarians | Mary Kate Burnside Ronnie Moyers |



GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

The Girls' Glee Club meets twice a week. The group sings in three parts and sings from "The Golden Book of Songs."



Sopranos: Caroline Ball, Delores Blackburn, Peggy Blackburn, Jerlene Brashear, Virginia Burch, Peggy Carter, Norma Cochran, Edith Collins, Mary Ruth Cowan, Gloria Davis, Sandra Davis, Marion Dix, Reba Fuson, Reba Hammon, Charlotte Harris, Joann Harris, Sandra Hoskins, Sheralyn Jackson, Eddie Jo Johnson, Judy King, Dorothy Klaja, Virginia Lee, Christine Longworth, Emma Jean Lybrand, Joyce Miracle, Doris Nelson, Shelby Nunn, Pat Parker, Mary F. Philpot, Carolyn Robinson, Mary Sue Smith, Martha Sowders,

Brenda Stewart, Bartie Thomas, Diane Rowlett, Carolyn Rowlett, Peggy Coatney. **Altos:** Phyllis Abbot, Mary Reana Barnett, Wanda Evans, Joan Gombita, Lola Hoskins, Shirley Hoskins, Shirley Gregg, Shirley Jones, Brenda Miracle, Phyllis Moyers, Mary Mullins, Carolina Robbins, Tommie Sue Smith, Cecilia Wakin, Jean Wilson, Mary Wilson, Velo Wilson, Mary Ruth Wright, Delores Vaughn, Pat Cowan, Janie Harrell. Director—Mrs. Janet Matthews.





George Ball, Jim Barnes, Billy Barton, Homer Dorton, Keith Fletcher, Clyde Gibson, Ben Miller.
Director—Mrs. Janet Matthews.

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

The Boys' Glee Club has sung to a great extent in unison this year. The club worked on tone, pronunciation, and ease in singing. Some work was being done on descants and two part, tenor and bass, working up to four part work.





MANUAL ARTS

The purpose of the Manual Arts Club is to carry on the projects being made in the Manual Training Classes along with repairing of school furniture and the upkeep of

the buildings of our school system.

The classes meet twice a week, but our boys' membership is so great that it is necessary that we meet four times a week.

OFFICERS OF 1st GROUP

President Jimmy O'Neal
Secretary Orville Yeary

MEMBERS: 1st GROUP

Bobby Booth, George Beasley, Wendell Branscome, Orville Carmony, Arlis Clarkson, Earl Davis, Donald England, Johnny Evans, James Fretwell, Mathew Gambrel, Carl Gulley, Doug Grey, Bobby Green, John W. King, James Leach, Henry Laws, Billy Lee, Boyd Marsee, Dorman Mike, Clifford Miracle, Bill Mayes, James Mayes, Eugene Mason, Hershell Moyers, Lawrence Mills, G. W. Morgan, John Mills, James Miller, Jimmy O'Neal, Billy Reed, Nelson Sowders, David Thomas, Joe Taylor, Keith Williford, James Wilson, James Whalen, Albert Weaver, Orville Yeary.

OFFICERS OF SECOND GROUP

President Elmer Martin
Secretary George Beasley

MEMBERS OF 2nd GROUP

James Archer, Lonnie Beeler, Cade Brittan, Martin Burke, David Campbell, Fred Collingsworth, Dale Farmer, Fred Gent, Tommy Hall, Louis Hunley, Jerry Kimsey, Kerny Kivett, Don Mason, Joe Mason, Ronald Moyers, Bobby Mike, Albert Norton, Kenneth Rains, David Schooler, Dorris Taylor, Rex Treece, Walter Thacker, Billie Jo Williford, Ben Webb, John Steelman, Charles Spurlock, Thomas Partin, Jerry Vonmer, Elmer Martin.

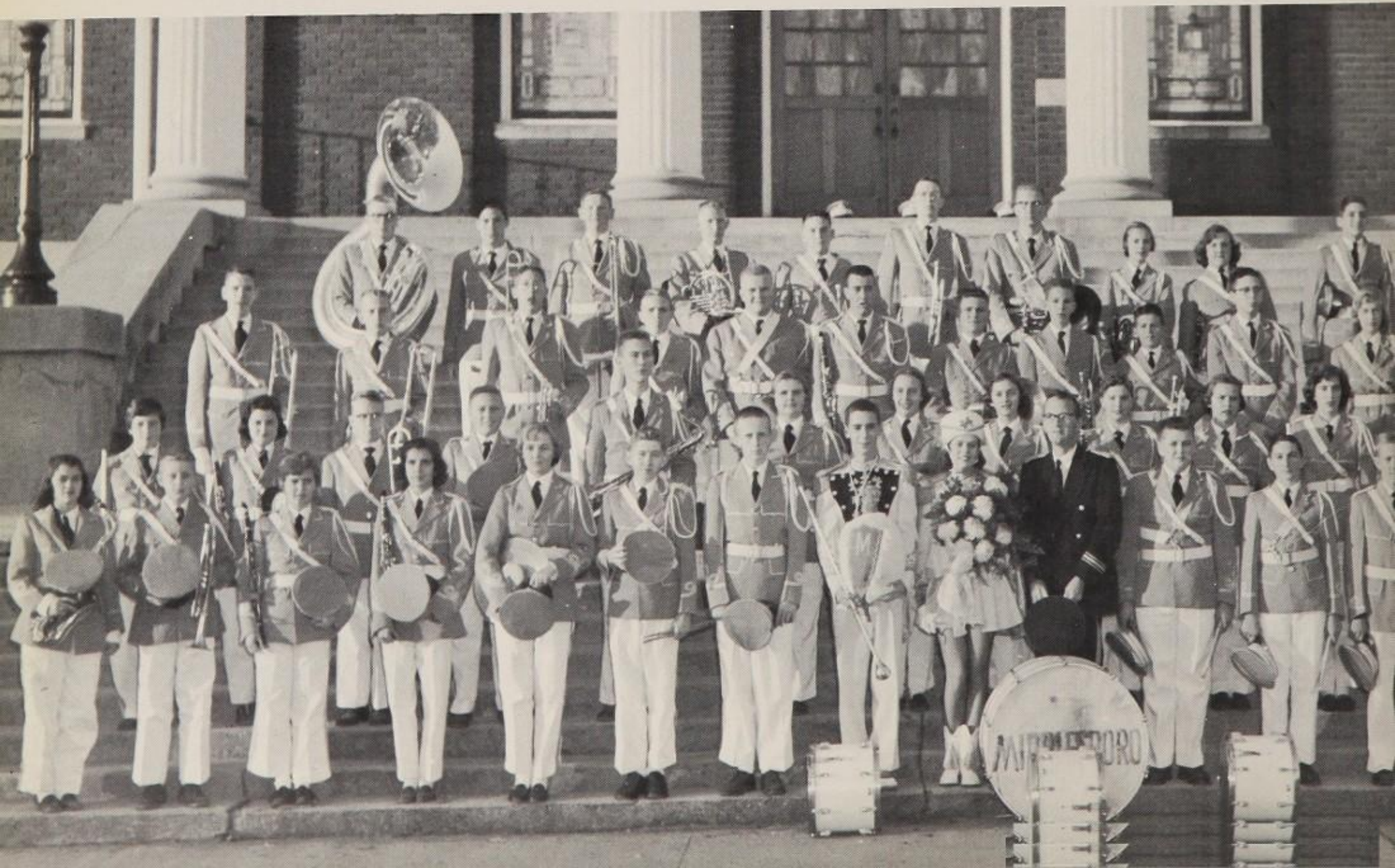




THE MIDDLESBORO H. S. BAND

Band has an unusual place. It offers fun, trips, etc. for its members; and a chance to learn music fundamentals, muscular co-ordination, discipline, mixing with other schools at public performances, and many other advantages for its members. A lot of hard work by all lies behind the glittering appearance of our band. The band won the \$100 first prize over a field of six competitors in the annual mile long Daniel Boone Festival Parade held in October of this school year.

Cheryl Barton, Beverly Biggerstaff, Bonnie Blake, Carol Buckner, Virginia Burch, Thelma Burchfield, Becky Campbell, Joan Campbell, Nita Carr, Fredwyn Creech, Sharon Creech, Sandra Davis, Priscilla Dorton, Suzanne Elliott, Kay Ely, Sheilagh Farmer, Patsy Greer, Beverly Hinel, Bartie Hodge, Janice Johnston, Nini McDaniel, Brenda Scott, Carolyn Smith, Sally Thomasson, Cecilia Wakin, Dixie Walls, Phyllis White, Merlene Whited, Connie Zimmerman, Carol Herd, Betsy Standifer, Willie Beason, Tommy Board, Karl Brittain, Clyde Brooks, Melvin Burnside, Bill Channell, Eddie Collingsworth, David Colson, John Conner, Wilburn Conner, Kenneth Day, Homer Dorton, Bill Ely, David Ely, Keith Fletcher, Bob Fuson, John Guthrie, Willis Hampton, Jack Hite, Richard Hite, Fred Lovelace, Larry Lyon, Joe McCauley, Larry McKinney, Bisell McWilliams, Roy Marcum, Boyce Marsee, Neal Minton, Leslie Owen, George Ridings, Jim Smith, Kirby Smith, David Williamson, Wesley Yeary, Richard Saylor. Members of the marching band during football season: Shirley Hoskins, Stanley Steele, Joe Hensley, Phyllip Dalton, Pat Patterson, and Sherman Johnson (deceased).





OFFICERS

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| President | Bartie Hodge |
| Vice President | Eddie Collingsworth |
| Secretary-Treasurer | Suzanne Elliott |
| Social Chairmen | Willis Hampton |
| | Cheryl Barton |
| Librarian | Merlene Whited |
| Drum Major | Tommy Board |
| Band Sponsor | Beverly Hinel |





LIBRARY CLUB

The Middlesboro High School Library is under the supervision of a full time librarian, and is open to all students each period during the day. This library is not only for the students, but for members of the faculty and citizens of our community. It contains over four thousand well-chosen books of all kinds suitable for high school students. The reference section is composed of up-to-date materials such as bound magazines, encyclopedias, abridged and unabridged dictionaries, year-books, maps, atlases, almanacs, Current Biography, and special reference books in the Music, History, Art, Science, Literature, and Social Science Departments.

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| President | George Ball |
| Secretary | Florence Evans |
| Vice President | Barbara Walker |
| Treasurer | Geraldine Thompson |

Helen Allen, Birchel Rice, Eugene Franks, Betty Allen, Sally Carr, Carolyn Ball, Barbara Walker, Nini McDaniel, Billie Mae Taylor, Gladys Lovell, Sylvia Mason, Geraldine Thompson, Brenda Epperson, Clyde

Gibson, Thelma Sutton, Anita Johnson, Pete Southgate, Barbara Taylor, George Ball, Phyllis Williams, Ronnie Brown, Mildred England, Ginger Turner, Pat Johnson, Shirley Markham, Marsha Smith, Florence Evans.





David Markham, Geoff Mitchell, Penn Nicholson, Worth Lovett, Paul Braden, David Williamson, Fredwyn Creech, Doris Dalton, Georgia Nunn, Patty Miracle. Sponsor: Gladys DeMarcus.

DEBATING CLUB

The Debating Club has been active since 1930. Its aim is to promote clear, logical thinking, stage presence, and enduring interest in the art of debating. For seven years Middlesboro High School has won the Regional Tournament and went on to the State Tournament where they also made a good showing.



NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE

OFFICERS

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| President | Bertha Mae Reams |
| Vice Pres. | Lynne Smith |
| Secretary | Kay Henry |
| Treasurer | Paul Braden |

The National Forensic League is the outstanding speech organization in the United States. It is an honor society requiring that its members be in the upper third of their classes, and also that they have attained a high degree of excellence in speech activities in competition with other schools.

MEMBERS: Bertha Mae Reams, Georgia Nunn, Carma Lou Slover, David Markham, Geoff Mitchell, Lynne Smith, Fredwyn Creech, Susan Reisinger, Bonnie Blake,

Patti Miracle, Paul Braden, Penn Nicholson, Worth Lovett, Kay Henry, Patricia Ely, David Williamson.





Mary Anderson, Gloria Billingsley, Carolyn Branscome, Peggy Sue Brimm, Patsy Clark, Brenda Coatney, Brenda Collins, Gloria Davis, Bobbie Sue Duncan, Sarah Duncan, Mildred Fay England, Alice Fay Fuson, Jeanette Humfleet, Eddie Jo Johnson, Joan Keck, Ruby

Gail Loop, La Gretta Maiden, Lura Miller, Hester Murrell, Gloria Parks, Ina Ruth Russell, Sylvia Seals, Phyllis Sparks, Loretta Standifer, Leona Studervant, Sandra Snodgrass, Phyllis Thompson, Delores Vaughn, Shirley Ward, Brenda Wells, Frances Wilford.

GIRLS' 4-H

OFFICERS

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| President | Brenda Coatney |
| Vice President | Delores Vaughn |
| Secretary | Joan Keck |
| Treasurer | Frances Wilford |
| Reporter | Loretta Standifer |
| Cheerleader | Phyllis Sparks |
| Songleader | Shirley Ward |

The 4-H Clubs complete various projects during the school year and take part in the annual 4-H Club Fair, which is held in September. Members of the MHS 4-H Clubs won several prizes at the fair held last year.





Aileen Burkes, Sandra Branscome, Eunice Bussell, Sandra Childers, Nancy Cawood, Cloetha Chadwell, Pat Cowan, Loretta Chadwell, Alberta Duffield, Mary Coldiron, Wanda Evans, Alma Frazier, Juanita Clouse, Carol Dillman, Gladys Gent, Barbara Harrell, Sonja Huddleston, Jo Dean Hendrickson, Mary Louise Humfleet, Vada Monday, Betty Marsee, Lillie Ruth Roberts, Mary Helen Roberts, Alice Rains, Joyce Sowders, Mildred Shumate, Lorene Sturdivant, Jo Ann Warren, Margaret Whited, Drucilla Wyrick, Gale Wright, Patricia Yates, Martha Yeary, Mary Ruth Warren, Carolyn Ball, Gail Barnes, Kathleen Barnett, Vivian Botts, Colleen Brooks, Thelma Burchfield, Sally Reid Carr, Elizabeth Mae Fultz, Delores Fultz, Cleda Mae Green, Rhonda Harrell, Shirley Hoskins, Norma Ruth Jennings, Janice Johnson, Mary Nell Lambert, Patsy Long, Nini

McDaniels, Carolina Robbins, Mildred Sparks, Janice Sutton, Barbara Louise Taylor, Billie Mae Taylor, Polly Tucker, Betty Shumate, Barbara Wooten, Patsy Yoakum, Lana Gene Yoakum, Dorothy Klaja, Reba Hammoc, Virginia Lee, Gloria Billingsley, Peggy Brimm, Pauline Bumgardner, Wanda Carroll, Geraldine Carter, Brenda Collins, Joyce Emmett, Nancy Fretwell, Margaret Fuson, Janine Fuson, Katherine Harrell, Mary Lou Harrell, Lavenda Longworth, Anna Ruth Lybrand, La Gretta Maiden, Lola Massey, Lura Miller, Jo Ann Montgomery, Margaret Nagle, Helen Noe, Dorothy Rains, Judy Rains, Joyce Redmon, Loretta Standifer, Leona Sturdivant, Patricia Thacker, Yvonne Treadway, Martha Vinoski, Shirley Ward, Cloeva Webb, Brenda Wells, Betty Jo Williamson, Shelvie Head, Mary Lou Leach.

HOMEMAKING



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MILITARY EDUCATION



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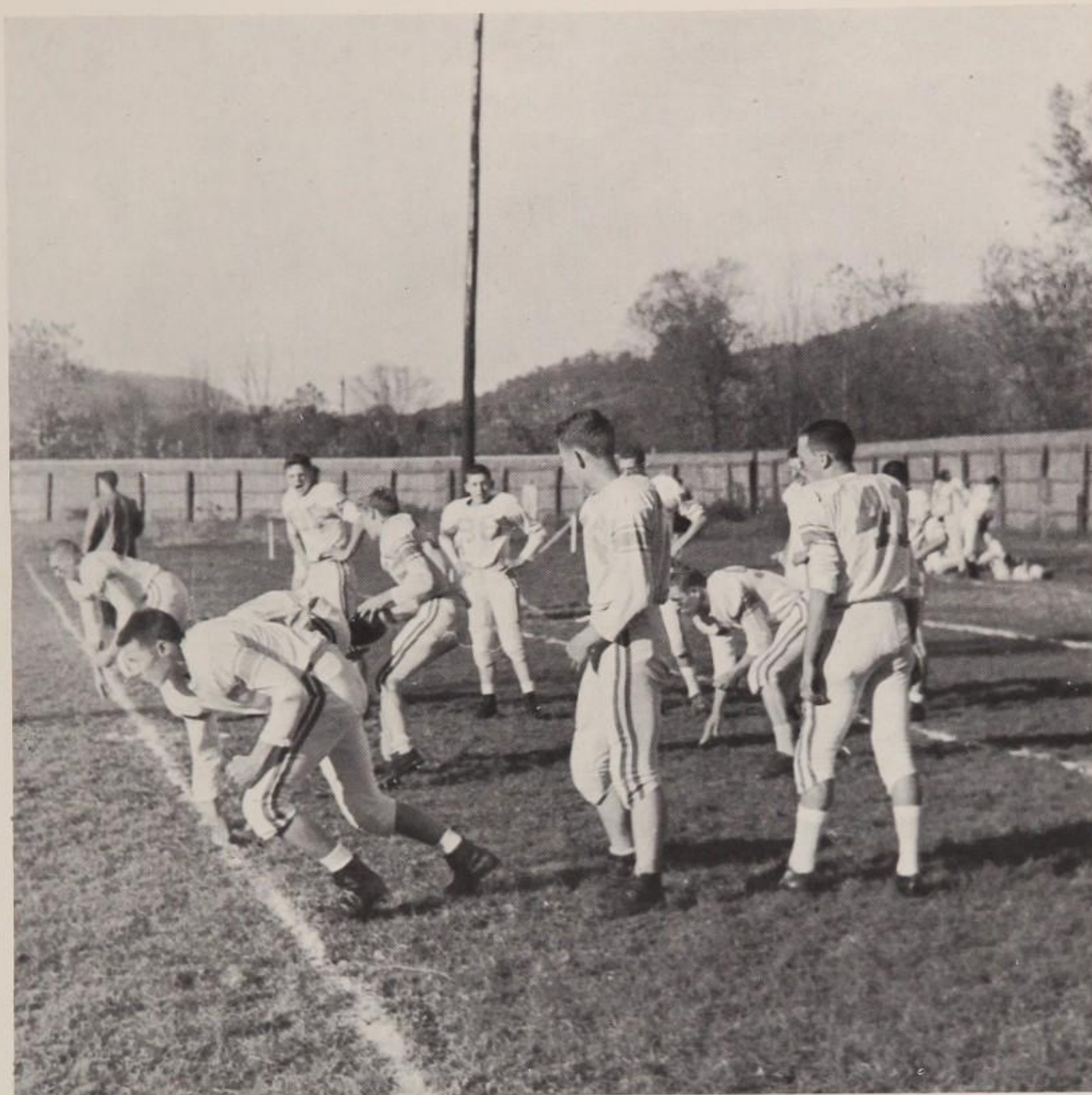
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ACT III

ATHLETICS



YELLOW JACKETS WIN IN BOWL

AS BRADEN SAW IT

Middlesboro spent two hard weeks on the lake bank in preparation for the coming season. Although the strength of the team was uncertain the outlook was bright. The Jackets took the field on the last day of August with high hopes for a successful season.

Our first opponent this year was Wallins High. We hadn't met this team in recent years and we were unsure of its strength. Likewise, Middlesboro was unsure of its own strength, but from the opening kickoff the Yellow Jackets' power became apparent. With every back and one end scoring touchdowns the Jackets won going away 41-0.

The next foe the Jackets faced was Barbourville. This was a real contest for the team. Not only were the Tigers tough, but this was also our first conference game. Middlesboro met this problem by marching seventy-two yards for a touchdown and kick-the point after. A rugged defense held the spread formation of Barbourville for no gain and the Jackets rolled again, holding a 13-0 lead at halftime. But Barbourville was not to be denied as in the second half a fifty-

three yard pass reached paydirt for the tigers. But the Jackets came back to make it 19-6. Both teams scored again but the Jackets' strength proved greater and the final score was 26-12.

The Jackets again went out of the conference as they traveled to meet the Briar Jumpers from Somerset. The Jackets scored on the fourth play of the game and led 6-0. The ball changed hands many times during the game. The Jackets were having a bad night and getting some bad breaks. They couldn't reach the goal line again. The score remained 6-0 until late in the last quarter. Then the Jumpers, aided by a penalty, scored and kicked the point. The score read 7-6. Again the Jackets could not move the ball and they went down to defeat 7-6.

The next week the Yellow Jackets journeyed to Corbin to meet Lynn Camp. This was a very important game for the Jackets as was every conference game and they wanted to avenge their loss of a week ago. The Jackets were hot that night and scored two quick touchdowns. But Lynn Camp surged to a touchdown and the first quarter ended 14-7. This only heartened the Jackets; they scored two more touchdowns



and led 28-7 at the half. In the third-quarter the Jackets again hit paydirt twice to take a commanding lead of 42-7. The reserves took over in the fourth and each team scored. The final score showed Jackets 49, Lyn Camp 14.

The Jackets next met the No. 2 team in the state, the Corbin Redhounds. This was the game of the year for the Jackets. If they won this one they could probably take the conference crown. The Jackets received the opening kickoff only to fumble deep in our own territory. Corbin was quick to take advantage and tallied on their first play. The point was missed and the Jackets trailed 6-0. Again the Jackets failed to move the ball and again the Redhounds were quick to take advantage of it. The score at the quarter was 12-0. For a minute it looked grim for the Jackets. But the scrapping Yellow Jackets staged one of the greatest comebacks ever witnessed at Bradner Stadium. With every regular fighting his heart out the Jackets went in at the half leading 14-12. Early in the third period the brilliant Jacket defense backed the Redhounds up to their own goal and broke through to block their punt. To the Jackets disappointment it sailed out of the end zone for a safety rather than the hoped for touchdown. The Jackets led 16-12 going in to the final period. But late in the last quarter Corbin found a receiver far down field and Corbin regained

the lead 19-16. The time was short and the Jackets could not score again. This game and the fight and scrape of the Jackets was said by many to be the greatest ever shown at Bradner Stadium. Even in defeat the Jackets held their heads high.

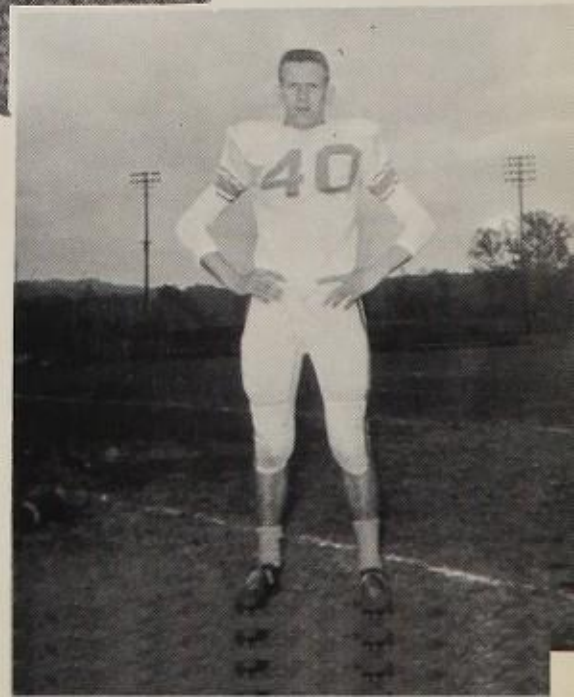
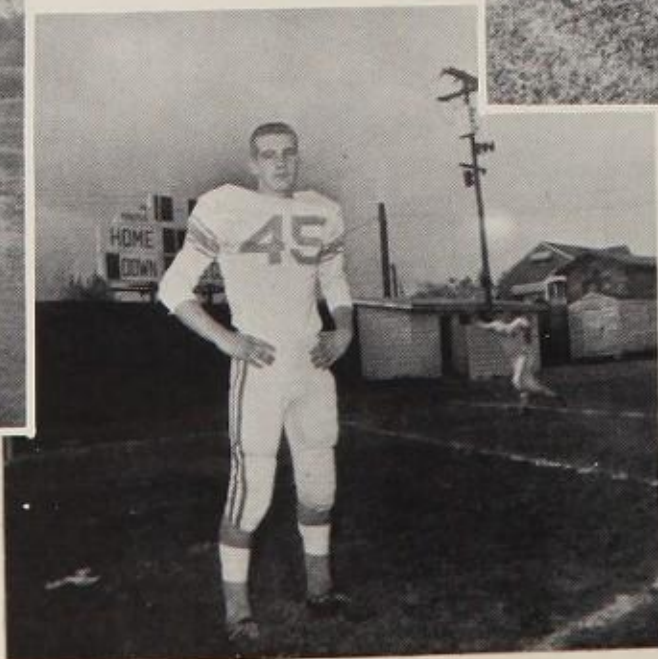
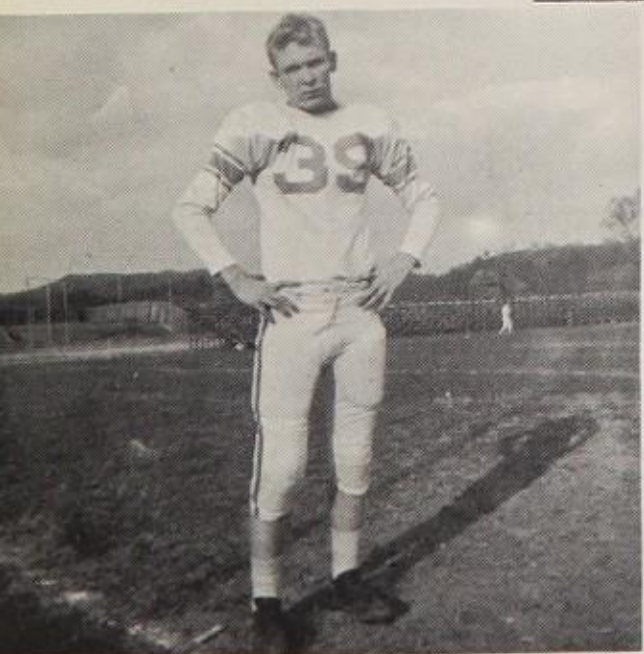
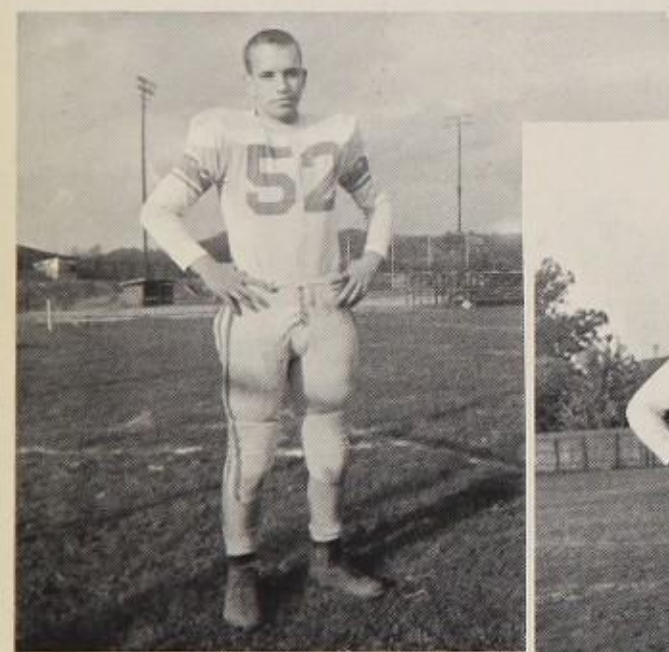
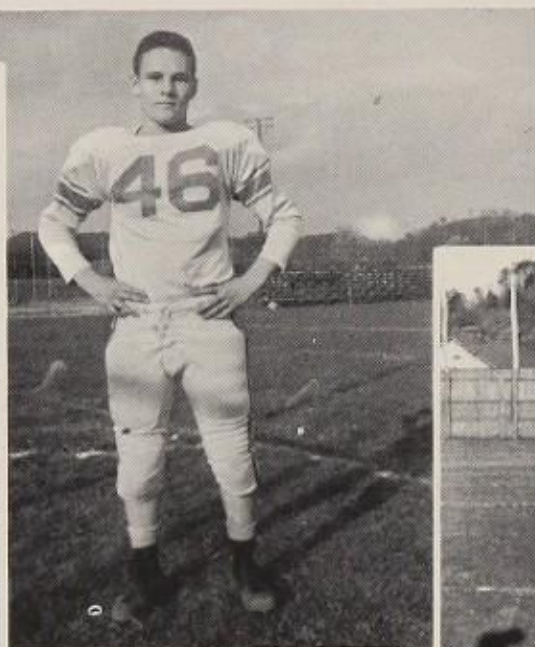
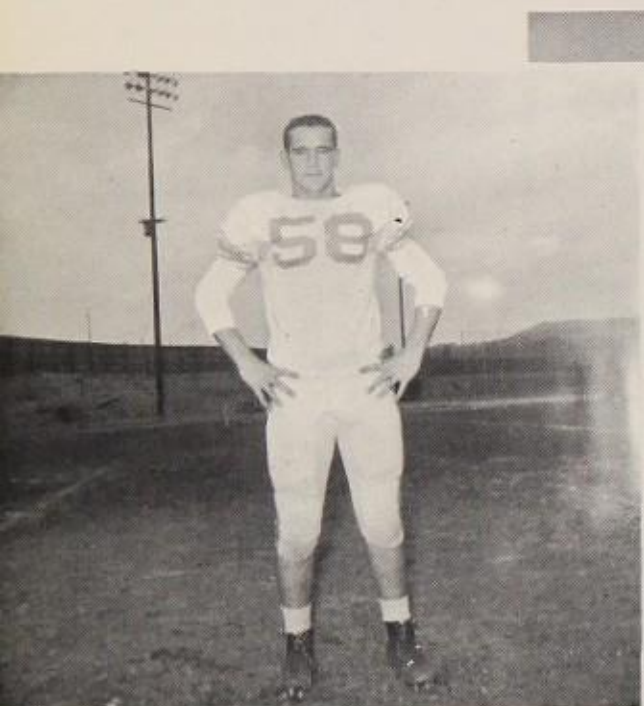
The Jackets again were to meet a conference foe in Knox Central. Many people thought the Jackets were in for a let-down after the Corbin game. That was the way it looked as the Jackets played a very poor first half and led only 13-0. But the Jackets came back and looked like the team they actually were. They scored five touchdowns in the second half and with the reserves playing the latter part of the game. The final was 48-0.

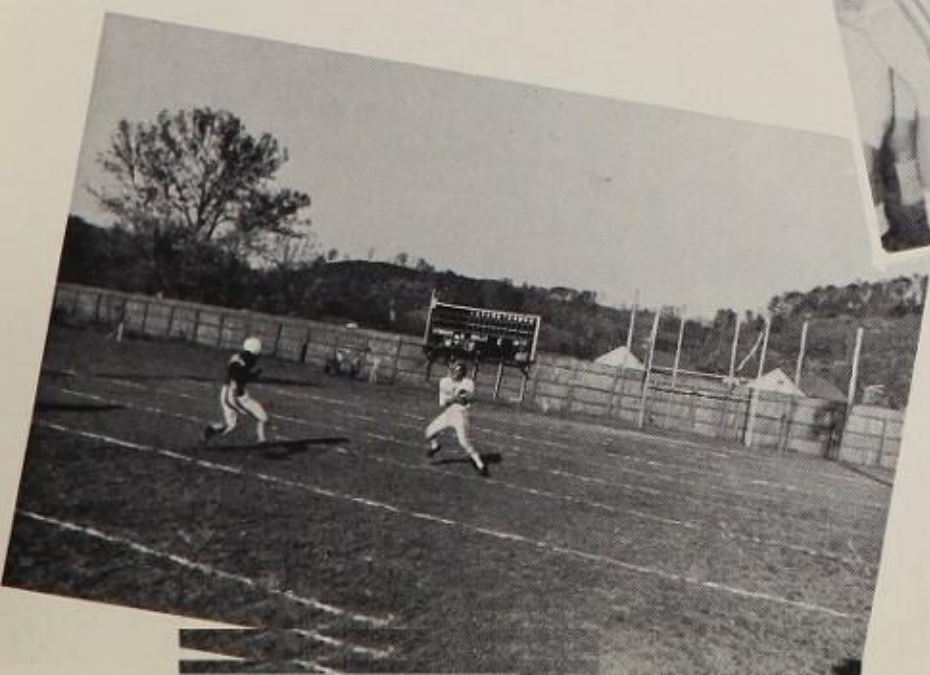
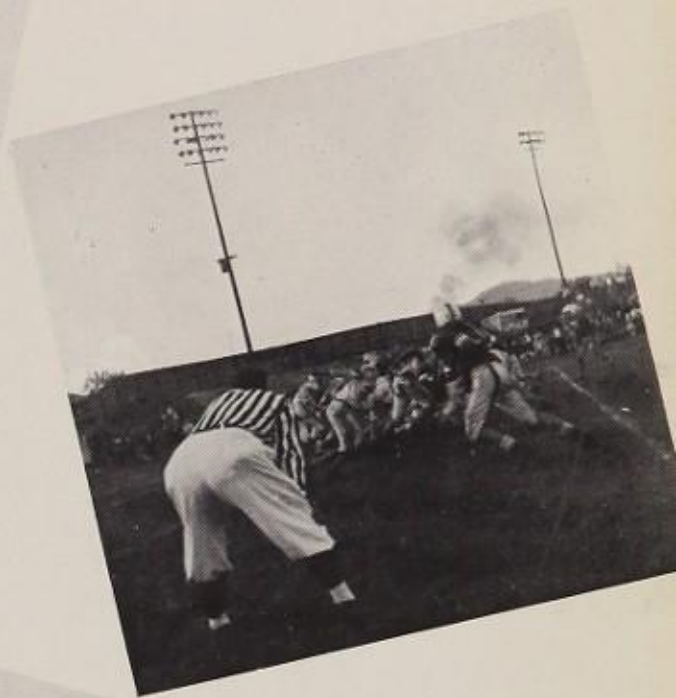
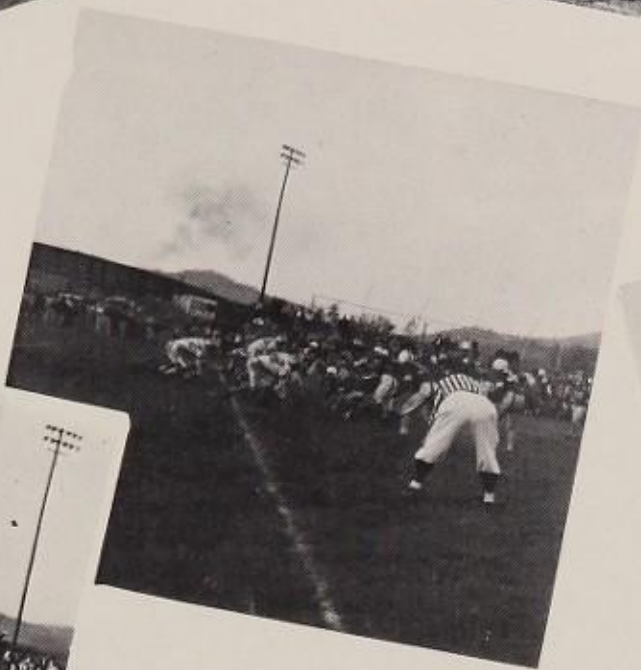
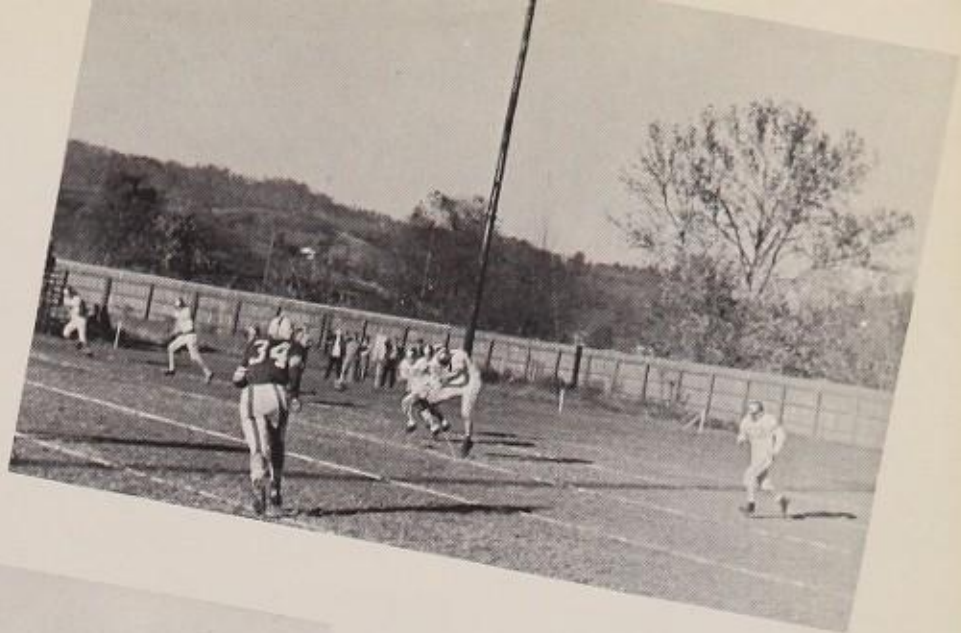
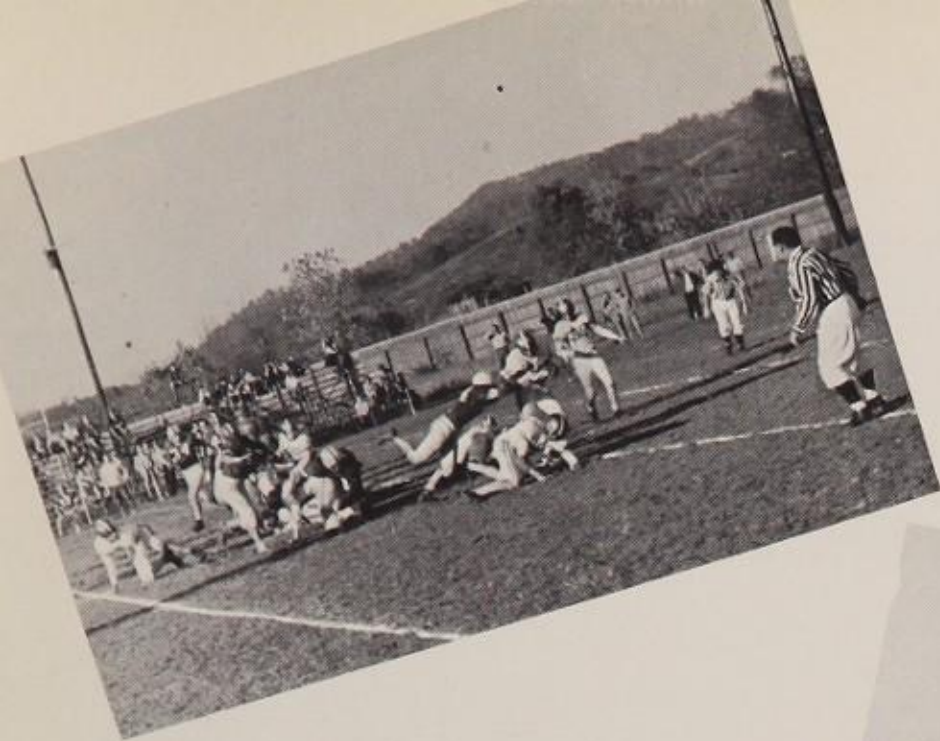
On the following Friday another swarm of Yellow Jackets came out of Williamsburg to test the Jackets. With Middlesboro still very much in the conference race, this was again a very important game. The Jackets pushed a very stubborn Williamsburg defense goalward and led at the end of the first period 7-0. The Williamsburg team stubbornly fought back but again the Jackets subdued them and the half ended with the Middlesboro Jackets out front 14-0. But Williamsburg had yet to show its strength as in the third and fourth periods they shoved the Jackets back and scored two touchdowns. The point after was missed and the Middlesboro Jackets ended with a very

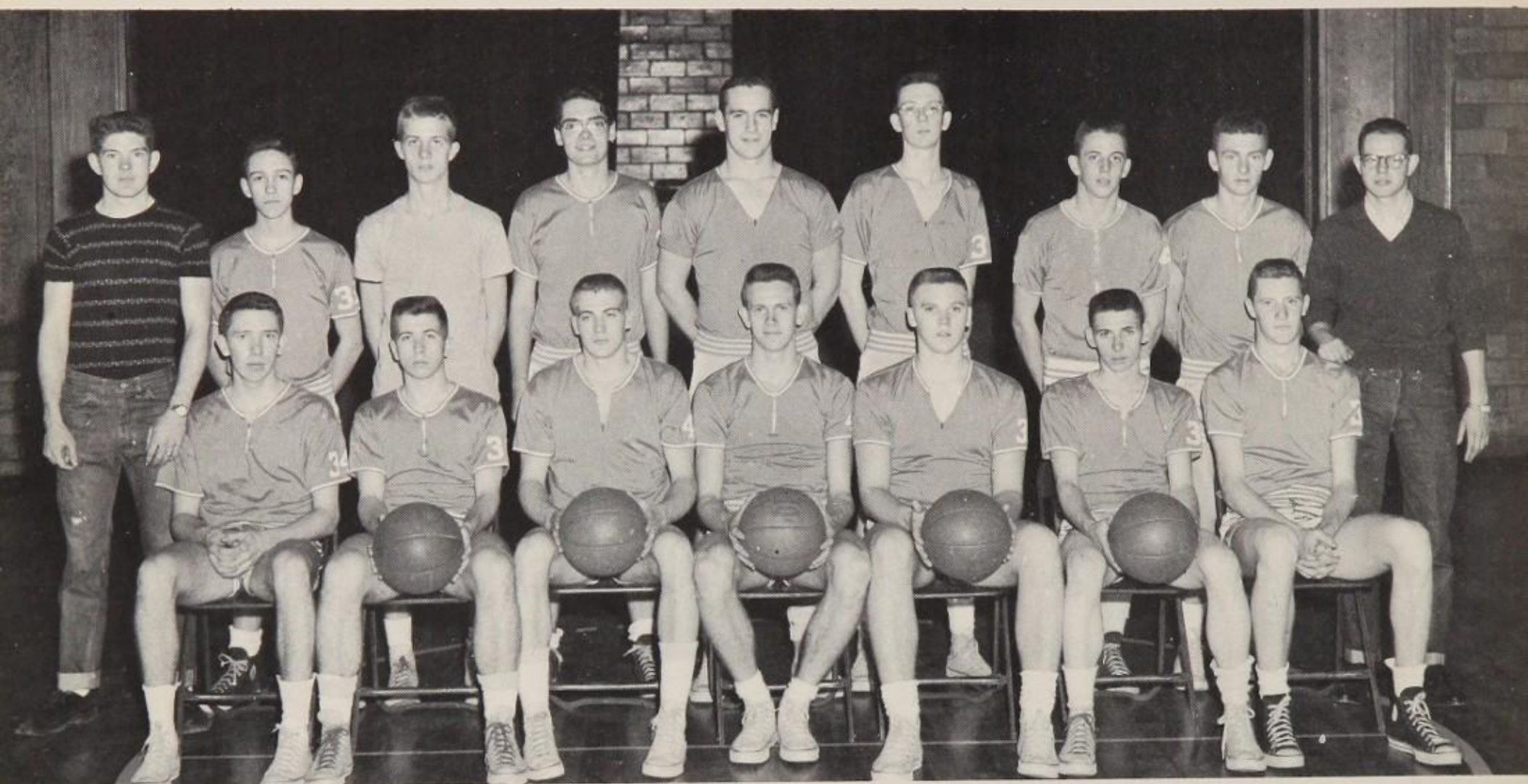
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RUNNING WITH THE CAGERS

Uncertain of their future, the Jackets opened the season with a new coach at the reins.

Middlesboro met defeat at the hands of Barbourville in their first game, 65-57.

Next a powerful Lone Jack five journeyed to Middlesboro and again the Jackets met defeat, 71-70.

Middlesboro took to the road; and with White and Stapleton showing the way, the Williamsburg Yellow Jackets went down to defeat, 64-57.

The Panthers of Knox Central journeyed to town and were stung handily by the Jackets, 92-73.

Lynn Camp followed Knox Central and they too went on the trail of defeat, 81-51.

Middlesboro then invaded our neighboring state of Tennessee and met the LaFollette Owls. The Jackets spoiled the Owls undefeated season 69-60.

The Jackets again hit the road this time to London where they stung the Tigers 77-66.

The Jackets traveled to Bell High where they won the Bell High Invitation Tournament by defeating Harlan 55-45, and Bell High 63-57.

Next, the Jackets journeyed to Clay County. Having won seven straight games, the Jackets met defeat by a score of 72-64.

The Jackets hit their stride again and defeated Pineville 77-55, Knox Central 82-66, and Bell High 81-74.

Against Barbourville, this year's Jackets gained the distinction of being the only Yellow Jacket team to hit 100 points—They did this in defeating Barbourville 100-83. The Jackets continued this pace in defeating Lynn Camp, 74-68; Harlan 74-59; and Pineville, 73-72.

Again Lone Jack defeated the Yellow Jackets—this time, 64-58.

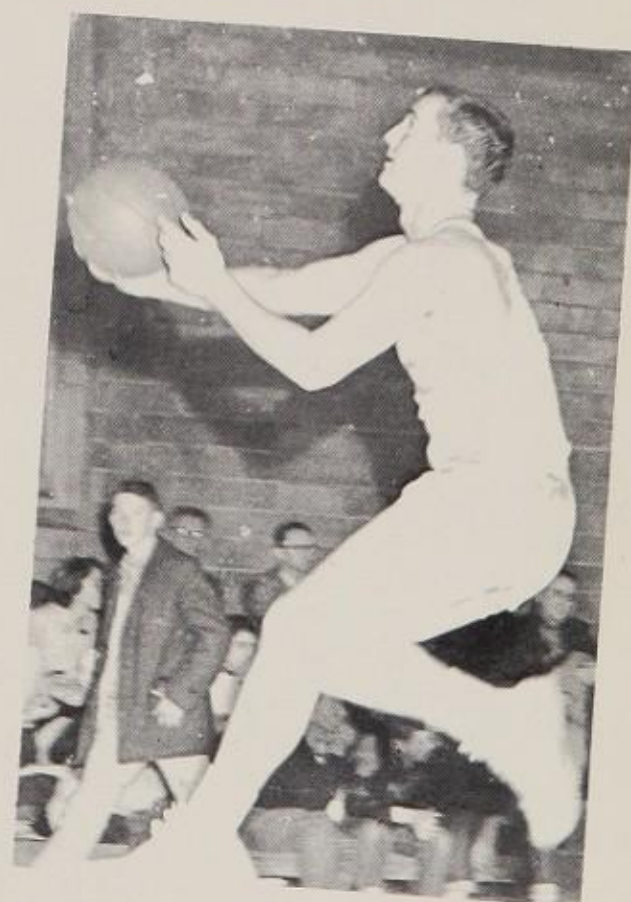
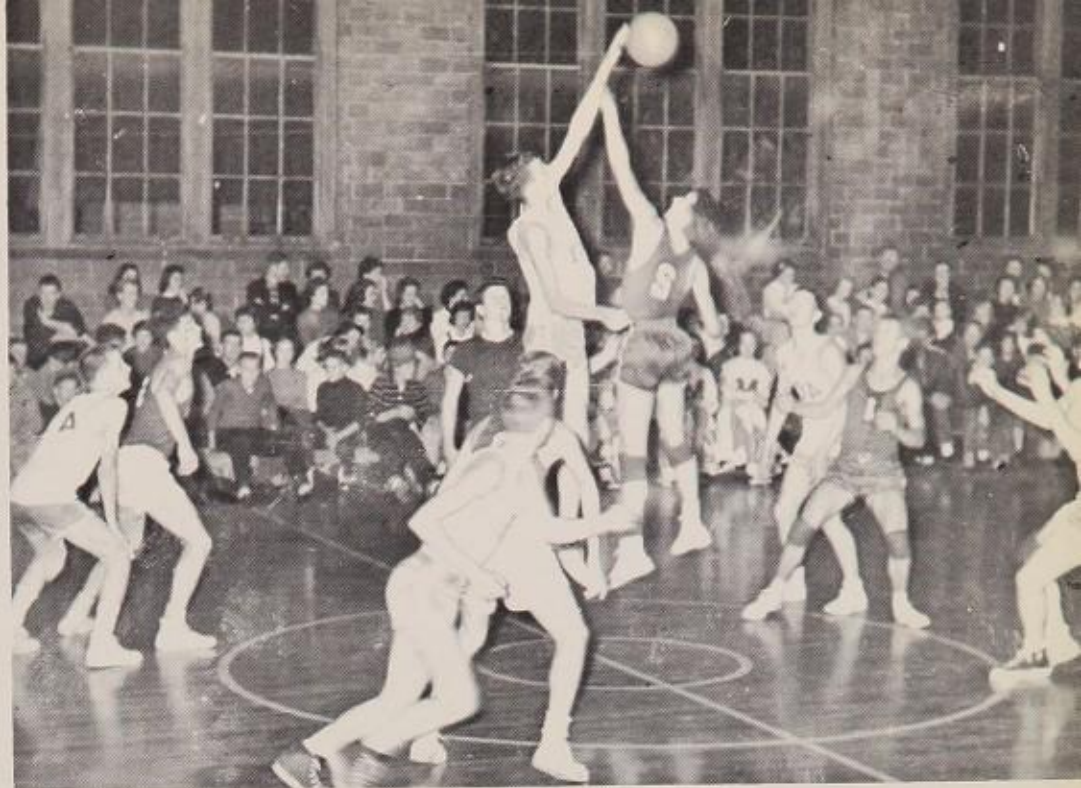
But the Jackets got back on their winning ways by defeating Bell High 86-81, and Williamsburg 84-63. In the Williamsburg game, "Chalk" Stapleton hit 45 points to set a new individual scoring record for Middlesboro High School. The Jackets kept a new winning streak going by defeating Corbin 67-65.

Our next game was with the league leading Clay County Tigers. Although the Jackets staged a great comeback in the second half, they went down before the sharp shooting Tigers 64-59.

This brought the Jackets to the District Tournament. The Jackets drew the powerful Lone Jack five. Although they fought hard all the way, the Jackets went down 82-70.

The Jackets had members chosen for the All-Tournament team. They were Frank White, Tommy Stapleton, and Paul Braden.

The Seniors whose play made this season a successful one were: Frank "Birdog" White, Tommy "Happy" Stapleton, Harvey "Drum" Yeary, Bobby "Smiles" Barton, Don "Sid" Denny, Bill "Fats" Clark, Larry "Smoke" McKinney, David "Bluster" Hatfield, and Paul "Piston" Braden. The other member was a junior, Doug "Ducky" Mays.

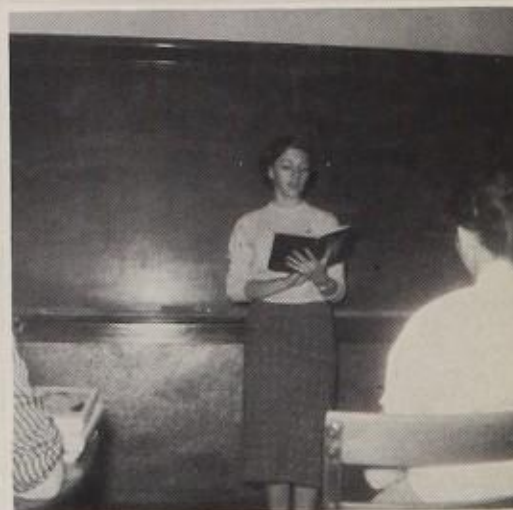




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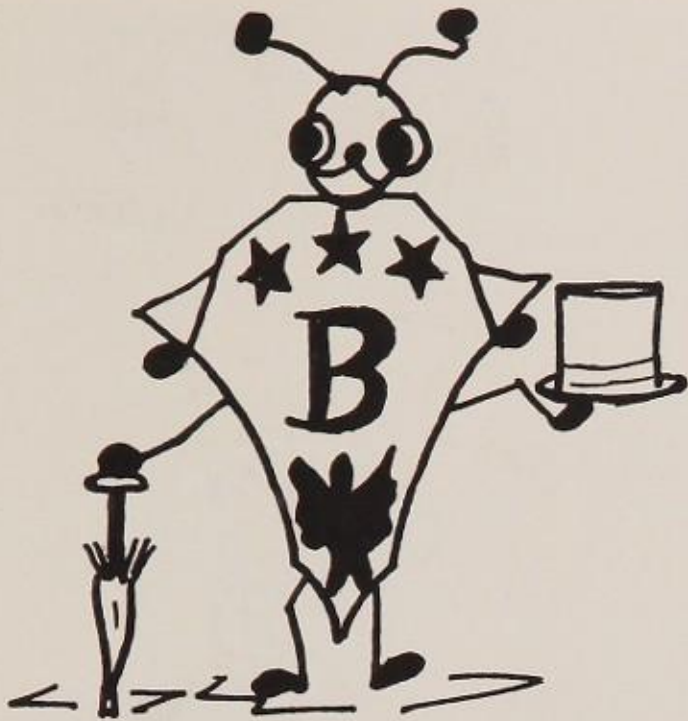
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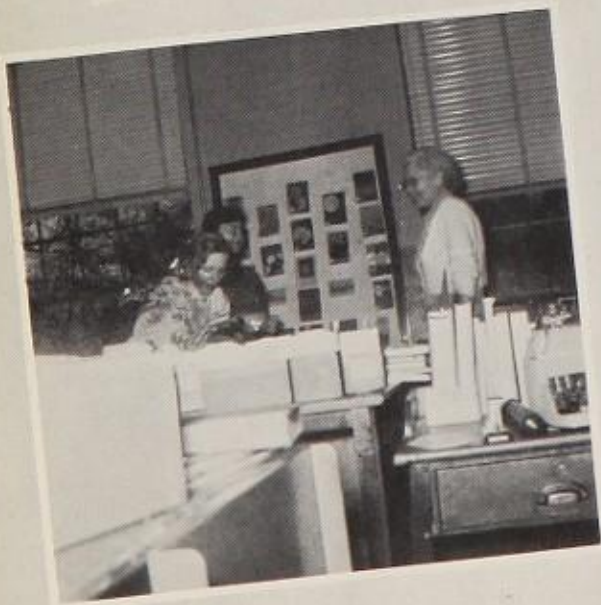
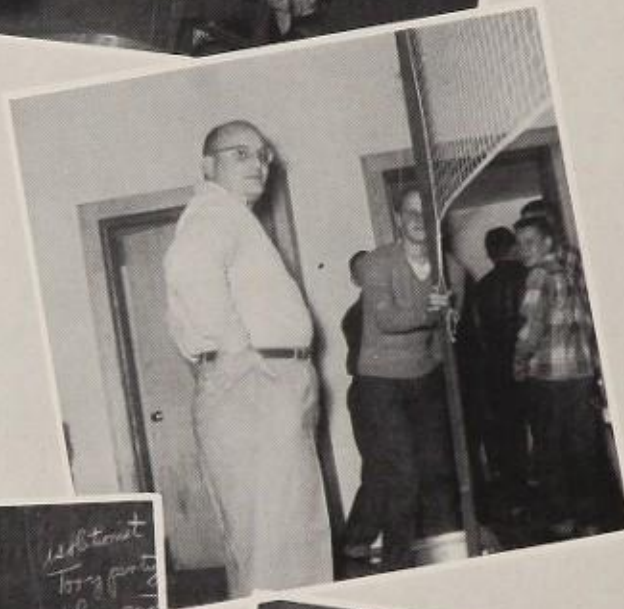
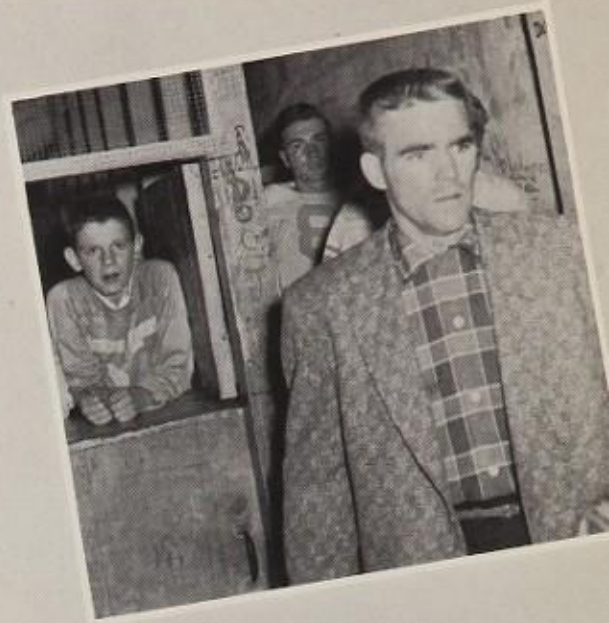
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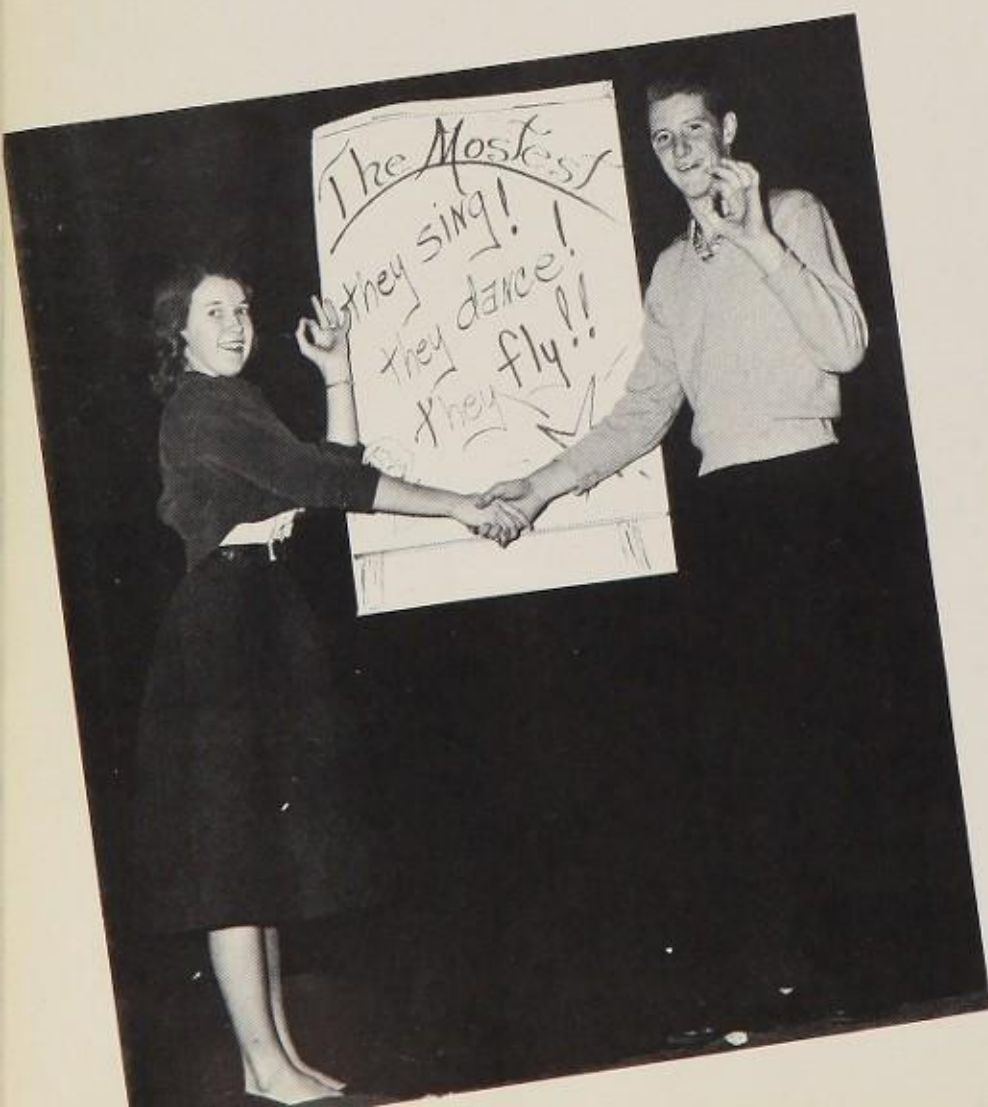
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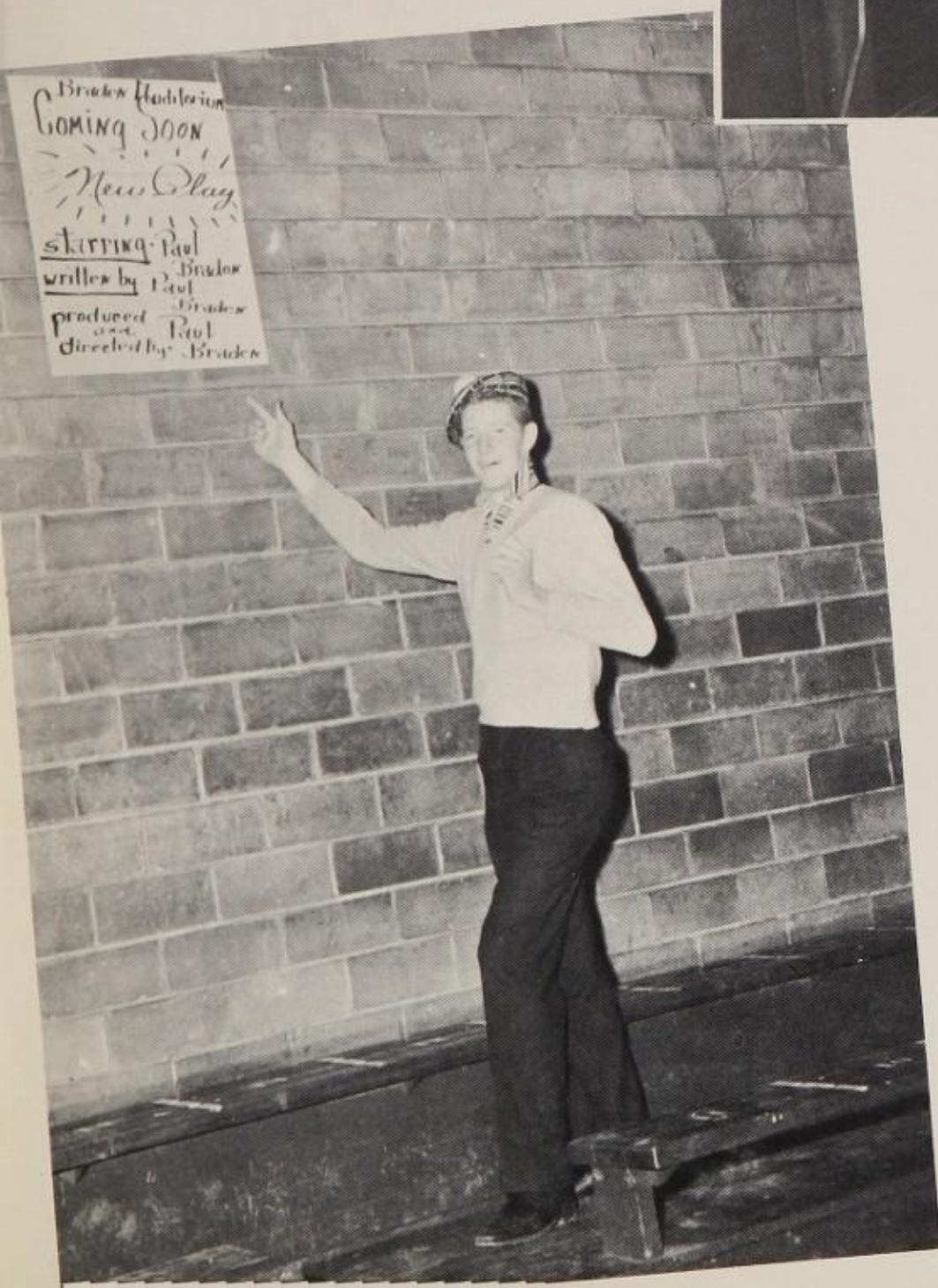


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CURTAIN CALL



D. A. R. GOOD CITIZEN
Fredwyn Creech



IDEAL SENIOR
Paul Braden

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slim 14-13 victory.

Our next opposition was furnished by our close rivals from Bell High. This again was a conference game but more than that it was a game of rivals. The Jackets were early in showing what they thought of the old rivalry as they jumped to a 6-0 lead. They quickly scored again and by the half had run up a 26-6 lead. The Bobcats fought back, but again the Jackets were on the top end of the score; this time 40-12.

On a miserable day for football with threatening skies and a muddy field, the Jackets met their arch rival in the long-awaited game with Pineville. For the first time in three years the Jackets could look for revenge, for the last three years had ended in defeat for the Jackets. The Jackets jumped to an early 6-0 lead in the first quarter. The Lions fought back but were unable to penetrate the Jackets' goal as time after time the Jackets bolted their drives. While playing a very good defensive game, the offensive unit rolled to another touchdown and went into the half with a 13-0 lead. Soon after the second half got under way, the Jackets went over for another touchdown, making the score 20-0. Again the defensive unit stopped the Lions' drive, this time almost on the goal line. The Jackets took the ball here and went about 80 yards for a touchdown. The third period ended with the Jackets ahead 27-0. The Jackets could not be held back and as the whistle blew the score read Middlesboro 33 Pineville 0.

The next week saw a test of the two conferences as the second SEKC place Jackets met the CVC second place Harlan team. The Jackets gained a 7-0 lead in the first quarter and held on until the half. In the third quarter M'boro made the score 14-0 in our favor. The Jackets scored again in the 4th quarter and the game ended with Middlesboro winning 21-0.

During the regular season the Jackets had shown themselves outstanding and were invited to play in the Pinnacle Bowl at Middlesboro. Their opponents were the high-scoring Whitesburg Yellow Jackets. Middlesboro was the slight favorite but it was believed that Middlesboro might be defeated. But the Jackets again proved their strength and set down the Whitesburg 11 with a 38-6 victory and were thus the first team to win a bowl game for Middlesboro.

Thus another successful season came to a close for the Middlesboro Yellow Jackets. The Jackets were ranked eighth in the state and were second in scoring with a total of 332 points for the season.

The following Seniors played hard and gave all they had in all the games. It was behind the performances of these Seniors that brought Middlesboro its winning season. Harvey "Drum" Yeary, Terry Gooding, Tommy "Chalk" Stapleton, Paul Braden, Charles England, Charles Kelly, David Hatfield, Bill Clark, Tim Sowders and Cecil Powers all say to the next years' team. "Give 'em the works, Jackets."



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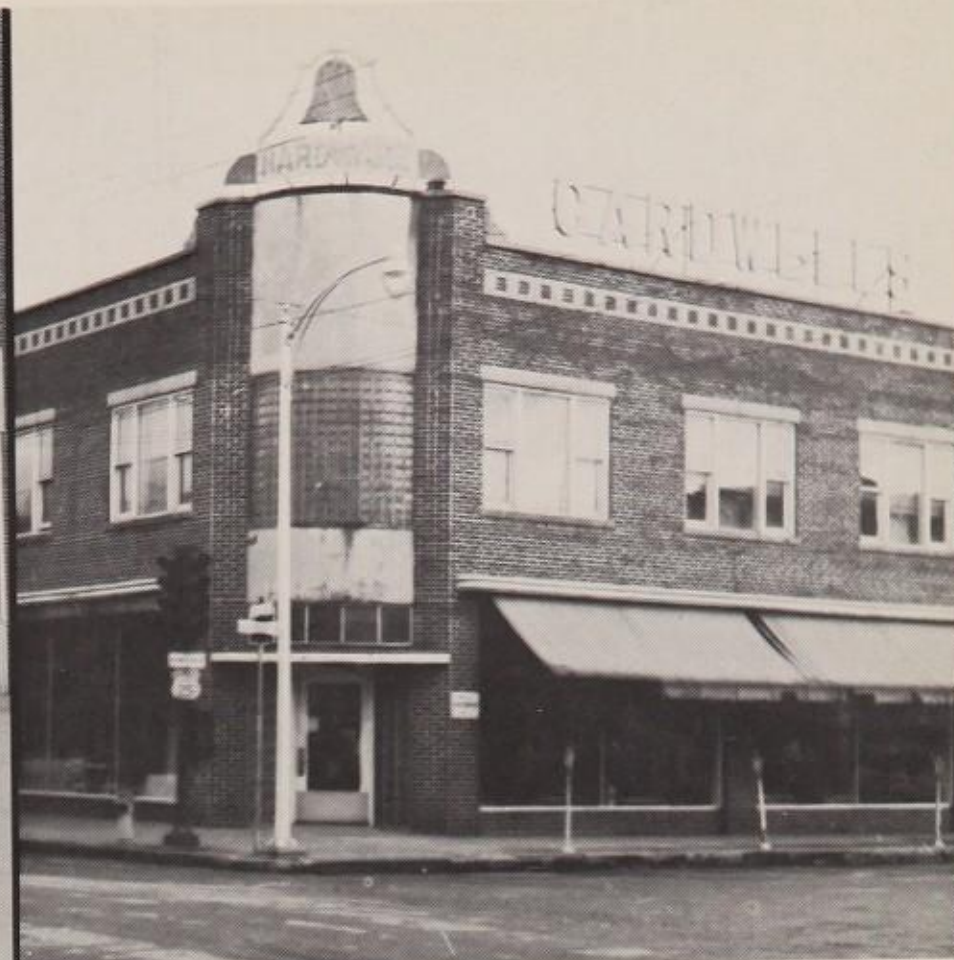


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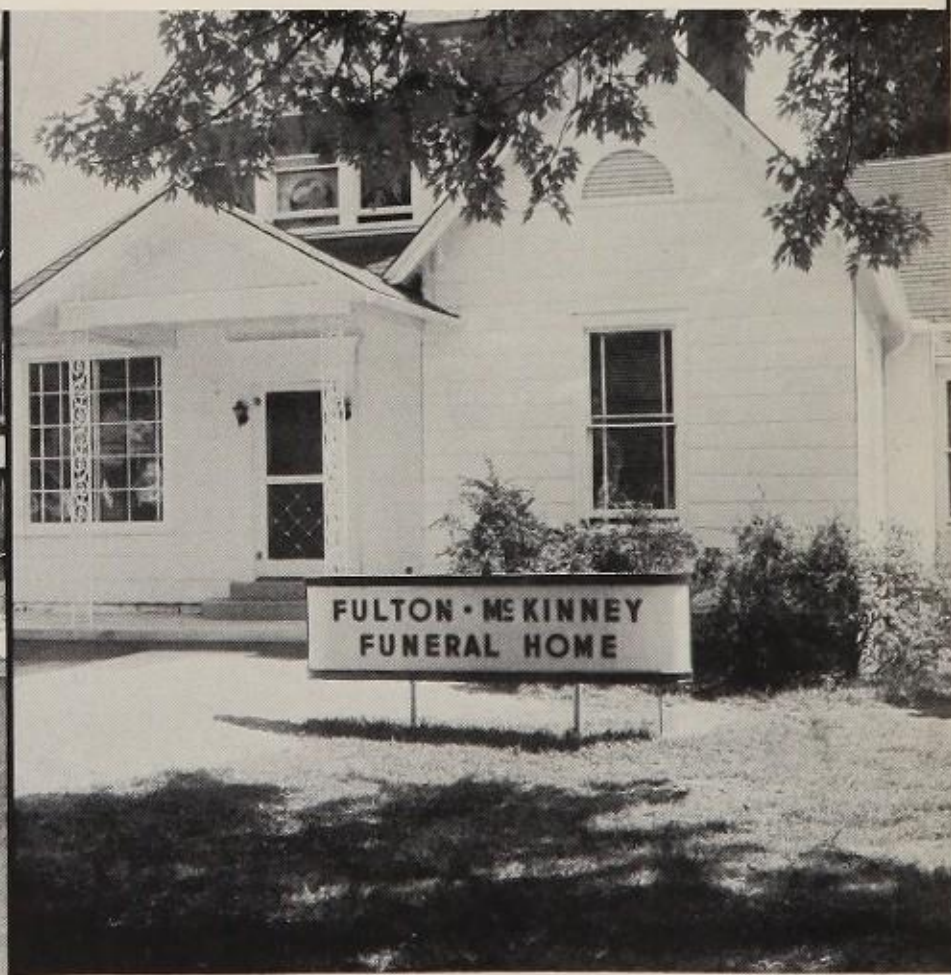
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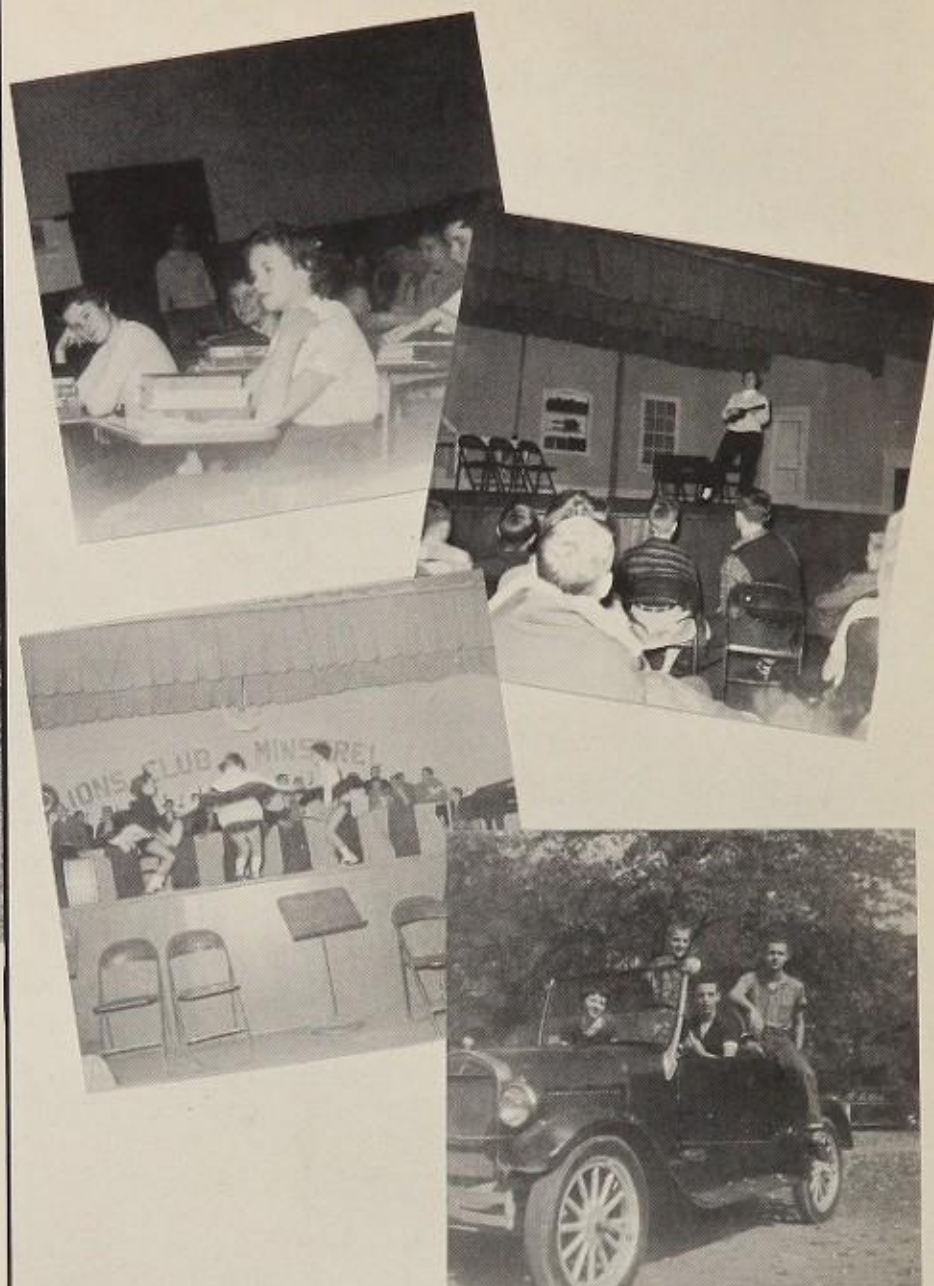
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